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# TURKEY BREAKS WITH GERMANY CONSTANTINOPLE REPORTS SAY DUE TO DIVISION OF RUMANIA

## AMERICANS DEFEAT THE GERMANS AT SERGY

### Huns Bring Up Picked Bavarian Divisions and Village Changes Hands Four Times—Yanks Now in Possession

## GERMAN LOSSES HEAVY

### Germans Resist Fiercely, Using Fresh Reserves But Are Outfought and While Checking Allies' Forward Movement Not Able to Bring It to a Standstill

Notwithstanding the fact that the Germans have powerfully strengthened their battle line running across the Soissons-Rheims salient with fresh reserves, and have stubbornly disputed further passage northward to the Entente Allied troops, the enemy has been compelled to bend back appreciably on all sides of the salient, except at the angle points resting immediately on Soissons and Rheims.

South of Soissons, further wedges have been driven eastward into the enemy's front down to the Ourcq river; eastward along the Ourcq, French and American troops have crossed the stream at various points and have advanced their line to the northward, while southward of Rheims the Allies have debouched from the wooded sectors and gained the plains, notwithstanding the violence of the enemy's counter maneuvers at some points. The Germans succeeded somewhat in checking the forward movement, but nowhere were they able to bring it to a standstill.

The retirement of the Germans still remains orderly, but everywhere the Allied troops, and especially the Americans near Fere-en-Tardenois, are pressing them hard. Particularly bitter fighting has taken place around Fere-en-Tardenois and Sergy, both of which towns are now well in the hands of the French and Americans. At Sergy the Germans paid the Americans the compliment of reenforcing their battle line with two divisions of well-trained Bavarian troops, men whose courage previously has been tested where the tide of battle was going against the Germans. It was an effort either to destroy the Americans or to herd them back across the Ourcq. The effort resulted in failure. The battle line shifted back and forth, and Sergy changed hands four times, but the Americans proved to be the masters of the picked enemy troops and finally drove them out and retained the village. The Germans suffered heavy losses.

The fighting in Fere-en-Tardenois also was of a sanguinary character, the opposing forces fighting in close contact through the streets of the town, but with the Germans being gradually driven back under the machine gun and rifle fire of the French and Americans or left weltering in their blood from contact with the cold steel of the Allied bayonets.

Immediately south of Soissons, on the western edge of the salient, the Germans strove heroically to hold back their enemies in order to prevent the further flanking of Soissons and the possible cutting off of large forces of their men fighting along the Ourcq, south of Olchy-le-Chateau. Scottish troops, however, captured positions in the outskirts of Buvancy, just to the west of the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road, while further south the French overcame the resistance imposed against them, crosed the high road and took Grand Rozoy and Cugny and the Butte Chalmont.

Southeast of Soissons, well inside the salient and at present far outside the immediate battle zone, various towns and villages along the Soissons-Sismes railroad are said to be in flames. This, seemingly, would indicate that the retirement of the Germans is to proceed still further northward before they intend to halt it, face about and give battle to the Allied troops along a chosen line. If the retreat on the west is to be carried beyond the Soissons-Sismens line it sems highly probable that it is the intention of the Germans to make their stand from Soissons eastward along the Aisne to the Vesle river and advance southeastward to Rheims.

British troops on various sectors in France and Flanders continue their harrying tactics against the Germans. Near Morlancourt, in the Amiens sector, the Australians have taken several lines of trenches, captured a fairly large number of prisoners, and inflicted severe losses on the enemy in counter attacks. Near Gavrelle, which lies northeast of Airras, Canadian contingents likewise have carried out a sucessful enterprise and taken prisoners.

Unofficial advices are to the effect that discord has arisen between Germany and Turkey, and that relations between the two countries have been severed. While there is no confirmation of the report, rumors have been current for some time that bad feeling existed betwen Turkey on one side, and Bulgaria and Germany on the other, owing to the cession of the Dobrudja region of Rumania to Bulgaria.

## GERMANS EXPLAINING

### After Fulfilling Their Tasks Rear Guards Fall Back.

Berlin, Germany via London, England, July 29.—"After fulfilling their task," says the German official statement issued today, "our field guard fell back to their lines in accordance with orders before strong attacks by the enemy. At Fere-en-Tardenois, and to the south of that place, the enemy atack, several times renewed, led to violent combat which ended in the repulse of the enemy." The communication has it that on the night of July 26, 27, sull in accordance with plans, the Germans evacuated the front line between the Ourcq and the Ardre, and also shifted their defense to the region of Fere-en-Tardenois and Ville-en-Tardenois, without the knowledge of the Allies.

## WORKERS RETURN TO JOBS

### Threat That They Will Be Called for Service at Front Effective.

London, England, July 29. — The ministry of munitions announced that reports reaching yesterday from all parts of the country indicated that the strike situation in the country "has distinctly improved and that a majority of the strikers will return to work tomorrow."

"As a result of mass meetings in Birmingham and West Bromwich today, it was decided by the district of the strikers' organization that the men should return to work Monday morning. A majority of the men at the Birmingham meeting favored a continuation of the strike, but as a two-thirds vote was necessary, and this was not obtainable, the committee advised a resumption of work

## ANOTHER GERMAN INDUSTRY

### Heyden Chemicel Works at Garfield, N. J., Taken Over by Palmer.

Washington, D. C., July 29.—Seizure of the Heyden Chemical works at Garfield, N. J., second corporation of its kind in the United States with exclusive rights to use many valuable German patents, processes and formulaes for the making of solol, sodium salicylate, saccharine and other by-products of carbolic acid, was announced by Alien Property Custodian Palmer today. The plant will be operated for the government, Mr. Palmer said, and the patents and formulaes Americanized. The Heyden works, which did a business of $4,000,000 last year were taken over, the custodian said, after an investigation of Francis Z. Garvan, director of the Bureau of Investigation in the alien property custodian's office, revealed that it was owned by the Chemische Fabrik Von Heyden, of Radebuel, Germany, the largest Chemical company in the world, and that an effort to conceal the real ownership had been made in 1916 by George Simon of Brooklyn, New York, representative of the German company aided by T. Elliot Hodgskin, an attorney of New York city.

## NAVAL COMMITTEE ARRIVES IN LONDON

### Representatives of Congress Inspect English and American Fleets

London, England, July 29. — The naval affairs committee of the United States house of representatives, headed by Lemuel Padgett, the chairman, has arrived in London after an uneventful voyage on an American battleship.

The committee was met by representatives of the British admiralty and other officials and before proceeding to London visited the naval bases and witnessed the joint activities of the British and American navies in those waters.

The American committee visited Vice Admiral Simms, Ambassador Page and the first lord of the admiralty, and were the guests of the American club. They attended the debate on the Irish question in the house of commons tonight.

Commodore Guy Gaunt, formerly attached to the British embassy at Washington, has been delegated by the first lord of the admiralty to act as escort. The committee will remain in England for several days and will then go to Queenstown and afterwards to France and Italy.

Chairman Pagett said that the committee were enthusiastic over what they had already seen and were prouder than ever of American efforts in the war, and happy to find such cordial relations between British and American naval officials.

## ALLIES MAKE DEEP DENT IN THE GERMAN LINE

### Sharp Attack At Dawn Results in Taking of Numerous Prisoners

(By the Associated Press).

With the French Army in France, July 29, afternoon. — A decidedly sharp attack delivered by the Allies at dawn today, north of the Ourcq river, made another deep dent in the German line. Numerous prisoners were taken. As far as reported up to the present time the front was pushed forwar to the woods lying about 1,500 yards north of the village of Grand Rozoy, which also was taken.

The heights north of Grand Rozoy are now in Allied hands and the advancing troops are approaching the dominating hills number 205 and 204, which in the distance overlook Fismes, where the Germans have large concentration of stores.

Further to the east the Allied troops have crossed the Ourcq at several places and taken Corlemy farm, southwest of Tsapouffy.

The enemy artillery is replying only feebly to the Allied attacks.

### JAMES' SENTENCE REDUCED.

Camp Dix, New Jersey, July 29.—Major General Hugh L. Scott today reduced to 20 years the sentence of 30 years imprisonment at hard labor at Fort Jay, N. Y., imposed on William C. James of St. Louis, Mo., the first recruit courtmartialed here on charges of attempting to evade the draft and making disloyal utterances. The reduction was made because of the prisoner's youth. James, who was born in Russia, failed to report when ordered to do so by his Local Board. He was later arrested at New Brunswick, N. J., for alleged seditious utterances.

## THREE LINERS ATTACKED

### By German Submarines 200 Miles Off Atlantic Coast Yesterday.

An Atlantic Port, July 29.—Three trans-Atlantic liners which arrived here today, reported having been attacked by German submarines. Each of them was about 200 miles off the Atlantic coast in latitude 38.35, longitude 37.40. All three vessels by superior speed escaped undamaged after a running fight which last several hours.

The master of another vessel in port today, said that three days ago wireless calls were caught by his ship coming from a vessel in plain sight asking for assistance, but which upon closer observation proved to be a submarine with telescopic masts and which was in other respects made up to represent a sailing vessel in a sinking condition.

## GERMANY HAS REACHED THE BLUFFING POINT

### Belief Expressed She Is Trying to Hide Hopeless Conditions

With the British Armies in France, July 29.—Barring the worst hard luck imaginable to the Allies, the German armies never again will be able to drive forward with the punch they carried when they opened their series of 1918 drives last March.

Today, the starting point of the fifth year of the war, it seems to me to be merely a question of time before a forced retreat to defensive positions will have to be carried out by the Boche, in the hope that it will be possible to obtain peace before the streams of arriving Americans so swell the forces of the Allies that an unconditional surrender will be forced.

It is an open secret here that it is becoming increasingly difficult to fill the German field depots. Boys of the younger German classes cannot be counted in the same class with the Americans who are daily arriving in such numbers as to completely nullify Germany's new crop.

Documentary evidence in the hands of the British army shows that General Ludendorff fears political results at home from too quickly shoving boys into battle. The German people, who reluctantly consented to the participation in battle by these youths to gain the promised victory that was foreseen in the hope of bringing about an early peace, are beginning to feel they have been betrayed. Opposition is growing to the giving up of the remaining sons for cannon fodder.

A sergeant recently captured declares drafts are being filled with the utmost difficulty. Prince Rupprecht's army is practically the only fit reserve left on the west front. The Crown Prince, it is declared, has only five first-class divisions left. Confusion exists behind the German lines. There is indecision everywhere.

Manifestly, there is a question of whether Germany is not putting up a colossal bluff, while trying to hide hopeless conditions behind a wall of imitation steel.

## THEY PLAN TO PLAY THE WORLD SERIES

### To End League Schedules Aug 20 Leaving Time for Post Season Games

Chicago, Ill., July 29.—Closing the Major league schedule about August 29, and staging the World series immediately thereafter, is the plan now favored by President Ban Johnson of the American league to comply with Secretary Bakers "Work or fight" order.

President Johnson tonight sent a bulletin to the American club owners asking their approval to the plan, which is also under consideration by the National league.

Closing the season August 29 will leave eleven days in which to prepare for and play the world series and still obey Secretary Baker's order to disband September 1. There has been talk of continuing to September 1, or even to the day following which is Labor day, a legal holiday, but the American league executive is strongly opposed to this. If the August closing is agreed upon the western clubs of the American league will not start the eastern invasion scheduled for August 24, and the eastern clubs of the National league will not start west.

## WILL RELEASE HOUSEWIVES

### From Voluntary Pledges to Curtail Use of Wheat.

Washington, D. C., July 29. — Another step toward partial resumption by the nation of its old habit of eating, was taken today by the food regulation board in releasing housewives from voluntary pledges to curtail the consumption of wheat. This followed the release of hotels, restaurants and dining car services from their pledges effective August 1. The food administration announced that there would be no change from the half and half order, and purchasers of wheat flour will still be compelled to purchase an equal weight of wheat substitutes. Bakers still are required to make "Victory" bread containing at least 25 per cent wheat substitutes

## TURKS AND HUNS SEVER RELATIONS

### According to Information Reaching London From Constantinople

## DISPUTE OVER SPOILS

### Washington Officials Express Little Surprise But Doubt Its Remaining Permanent

London, England, July 29. — "The relations between Germany and Turkey have been severed, according to direct information from Constantinople."

This announcement is made by the Copenhagen correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company.

If, as reported, there has been a break in the relations between Germany and Turkey, disputes over the distribution of the spoils of war doubtless forms the basis for it.

For a long time there has been rumors that Turkey was opposed to the share of Rumania that Bulgaria was to receive, and that Turkey was looking with jealous eyes toward the Black sea.

The excitement against Germany, the advices further say, has been growing particularly after last week's events. The Germans recently demanded the cruiser Hamidieh, the only large ship then in possession of Turkey, as compensation for the Breslau, the former German cruiser, which was destroyed in the Dardanells, while under the Turkish flag. Despite Turkey's protest the Hamidieh, has departed for Sebastapol with the German flag flying.

## WASHINGTON NOT SURPRISED

Washington, D. C., July 29. — While no official notice of the breach of relations between Turkey and Germany —or rather the Central Powers, for without doubt Austria is involved with Germany in the dispute with the Ottoman government—has reached Washington, officials expressed little surprise tonight at the Copenhagen dispatch from London saying that Germany and Turkey had severed relations. In official circles here for some time past it has been realized that in the efforts to serve both Turkey and Bulgaria in the division of spoils resulting from the enforced treaty with Rumania, Germany has incurred the ill will of both her allies.

There was considerable doubt in the minds of officials here whether the severance of relations, even if actually brought about, would be permanent. It is believed that Germany, calling upon her allies, Bulgaria and Austria, to assist her, will undertake to deal steraly with Turkey, and through the thousands of German agents scattered througqhout the country will seek to displace the Young Turk party and install some faction which can be relied upon to obey the mandates of the Central Powers.

If the Copenhagen report should prove true, the military situation may be favorably affected in the interests of the Entente Allies. Bulgarian resistance, it was pointed out tonight, may be weakened greatly in consequence of the quarrel with Germany and accordingly an easy northward movement from the Adriatic to the Aegean sea might be accomplished by the French, Italian and British troops, who have been making a successful campaign in that quarter.

## NEWS PRINT MAKERS ASK HIGHER PRICES

### Increased Cost of Labor, Material and Freight Rates the Reason Given

Washington, D. C., July 29. — Paper manufacturers appealed today to the Federal Trade commission for increased prices on newsprint as of May 10, and July 1. The American Newspaper Publishers' association objected to a hearing, contending that the commission's functions as arbiter on paper prices were suspended pending a decision of the manufacturers' appeal from the $3.10 a hundred, which price was fixed by the commission and effective last April 1. Without passing on the publishers' contention, the commission decided to hear evidence beginning tomorrow.

Herry A. Wise of New York, counsel for the manufacturers, said that the increase was requested because of advanced cost of labor and material and freight rates. The cost of wood for making paper, he told the commission, has increased 35 per cent.

### HAUGHTON TO GO OVERSEAS.

Boston, Mass., July 29.—Major Percy D. Haughton, former Harvard football coach, announced that he had resigned as President of the Boston league baseball club. His successor has not yet been named.

Major Haughton will report at once in Washington to assume his duties with the National Army Chemical warfare service, in which he was recently given a commission. He expects to be assigned to overseas in the near future.

## MANY STRIKERS RETURN

### Disorder Attends Scene at Lynn G. E. Plant—Appeal to Washington.

Lynn, Mass., July 29. — Several thousand employes of the General Electric company, who had been on strike here two weeks, went to work today upon invitation of the company. Crowds gathered at the plant and after strike pickets had tried to persuade the men not to return, several encounters resulted. The police were obliged to use their clubs in several instances and one man was so severely injured that he was taken to a hospital.

The strike has seriously crippled important war work, and because of the failure by mediators to adjust the differences, a committee of the strikers was in Washington today to ask the War Labor board to intercede. In opening the gates, the company notified employes that they would be taken back without prejudice.

## MARKETS FOR SEAFOOD ARE BEING DEVELOPED

### Whale Meat From the Pacific Coast Relished By Bean Eaters

Washington, D. C., July 29—New markets for sea food are being developed by the bureau of fisheries of the department of commerce, as a meat conservation measure. Whale meat from the Pacific coast—20,000 pounds of it—recently has been put on the Boston market. The shipment was disposed of in ten days at a retail price of 15 cents a pound and was received with such satisfaction by householders who like to live both well and economically that preparations are being made to assure a regular supply. Some of the meat was sold as far north as Portland, Maine.

On the Texas coast, a representative of the bureau is seeking to introduce porpoise meat, which has been pronounced excellent by those who have tried it. The main difficulty has been to make arrangements at the fishing centers for systematic shipments.

Fishes from the Gulf are being sold in many cities through the middle west, as the result of shipments arranged by the bureau. Carload lots are being ordered by dealers in Indianapolis, Louisville and Nashville. Efforts are being made by the bureau to increase the pack of salt whiting, for which there was a large demand last winter. New England fishermen are being instructed in salting methods. Dr. Russell J. Coles, an assistant at the bureau, is endeavoring to establish a fishery for sharks, rays and porpoises at Cape Lookout, N. C. Experiments have shown that smoked porpoise is nutritious food.

## TREMENDOUS STORES OF GERMAN MUNITIONS

### Found By French and Americans in the Forests Abandoned By the Huns

(By the Associated Press.)

With the American army on the Aisne-Marne front, July 29. — The tremendous stores of German ammunition found by the Franco-Americans in the forests of Fere and Ris, leads officers to believe that the Allied offensive nipped in the bud German plans for a momentous drive upon Epernay.

The forest and the surrounding country north of the Marne were virtually one great arsenal for German ammunition of all kinds, but big shells being particularly numerous. At places at the edge of the wood there were large shells stacked like cord wood over large areas. Thousands of the shells were intended for the German 210 millimeter guns, only a few of which have been captured. The Americans assume that the Germans withdrew many of these guns and that others intended for the great drive had not yet arrived when the Allied offensive began.

All through the forests the Americans came upon munition depots.

## STEEL A HARD PROBLEM

### Allotment to Less Essential Industries Must Be Continually Reduced.

New York, July 29. — Demands of government and private war industries for steel have reached such huge proportions with repeated expansion of the nation's military program, that the allotment to "less essential" manufacturers must be continually reduced, J. L. Replogle, federal steel administrator, announced here today. Mr. Replogle, after conferring with Charles Schwab, director general of the Emergency Fleet corporation; Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the United States Shipping board; J. H. Bonner, representing the American Iron and Steel institute, and head of the country's leading steel firms, declared there was no cause for alarm over the steel situation as it affects ship building, munition making and other activities vital to the war.

Mr. Replogle said that the greatest difficulty the government faces is not a shortage of steel in general, but inability of mills, owing to limited equipment, to turn out the varieties of the products in greatest demand and in sufficient quantities.

## WHY HUNS FAIL WITH TRANSP'RTS

### Told to Cologne Gazette By the Chief of German Admiralty Staff

## FIFTY BILLION MARKS

### Losses to Allied Shipping to July 1, 1918, Says the Admiral

Amsterdam, Holland, July 29. — The chief of the German Admiralty staff, Admiral von Holtzendurff, has explained to the Cologne Gazette to the best of his ability, the reason why German U-boats are not sinking American transports. He said that owing to the many points of embarkation that are at the disposal of the Americans from the north of Scotland to the Mediteranean, the irregularity of the coming of the transports, and the strong destroyer guards which accompany them, it is expedient for the U-boat to lurk off all these harbors on the chance of getting a shot at them. The real object of the U-boat, adds the Admiral, is to reduce enemy cargo space, for on this depends the ability of the Allies to continue the war.

Admiral von Holtzendurff asserted that the German policy in attacking every ship sailing in the enemy service resulted, apart from the destruction of large quantities of war material and supplies, in the infliction of enormous economic damage to the enemy.

The enemy losses in ships and cargo alone to July 1, 1918, are estimated to surpass 50 billion marks, he is quoted as saying.

"The Americans have at their disposal for debarkation from the northern coast of Scotland to the French Mediteranean ports dozens of debarkation places. Must we put out boats to lurk off these harbors on the chance of getting shot at by the strong American destroyers? The convoys do not not come with the regularity and frequency of railway trains at a big railway station but irregularly, with long interruptions, and often by night and in fog."

"When one remembers that, one realizes what little prospect of success it offers to set the U-boat at American transports especially."

## TO REFER TO WILSON THE IRISH QUESTION

### Is Proposal Made in Debate in British House of Commons on Subject

London, England, July 29. — The debate in the House of Commons today on the Irish question ended in the defeat of the Irish adherents. The motion of John Dillon, the Nationalist leader, condemning the government's Irish policy was rejected by a vote of 245 to 106.

Mr. Dillon's suggestion that the question of Ireland be referred to President Wilson was well received by the House, but as former Premier Asquith pointed out, it could not be expected that the President of the United States would undertake such an ardorous task at this time, and the matter was obviously one which the British people would have to settle themselves.

The question was one of overwhelming importance Mr. Asquith declared, and he made a strong appeal to the government to make another effort, even at the eleventh hour, to settle it.

The chief secretary of Ireland, Edward Short, made a speech, conciliatory in tone, but it did not conciliate the Nationalists. They received the warmest support from the Labor party, whose spokesman, William Adamson, member from West Fife, announced that Mr. Dillon's motion would receive its support, the Labor party believing that the Irish question could be settled by a generous measure of Home rule, and, he added, the British people ought to grant it now.

### AS REPORTED IN BERLIN.

Berlin, Germany, via London, England, July 29. — The official communication from general headquarters, dealing with events of Saturday, reports a quiet day on the Crown Prince's battle front. This makes mention, however, "of our new positions," while not admitting any Allied advance.

### JAPAN AWAITING REPLY.

London, England, July 29.—Japan is anxiously awaiting President Wilson's reply to her recent note concerning intervention in Russia, says a dispatch to The Times from Tokio dated July 25. Owing to delays in cable transmission, the reply was not expected in less than a week from last Thursday.

### BRITISH TROOPS GAIN.

London, England, July 29.—British troops last night carried out a successful operation in the Morlancourt sector, the war office announces tonight. The British took all their objectives and three German counter attacks were beaten off with loss to the enemy.

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# BASEBALL RESULTS

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

### WIN IN TWELFTH ROUND.

**Cardinals Bunch Hits off Marquard in Fourth and Twelfth.**

Brooklyn, July 29.—St. Louis took a twelve inning game from Brooklyn, 4 to 3, today, by bunching hits off Marquard in the fourth and twelfth innings. Hornsby opened the twelfth with a single, took second on a sacrifice, and came home on Betzel's hit.

| Score— | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 000 300 000 001 | 4 | 8 | 0 |
| Brooklyn | 020 001 000 000 | 3 | 13 | 2 |

Batteries—Packard and Gonzales; Marquard and M. Wheat.

### BRAVES BY NARROW MARGIN.

**Cubs Lose to Boston in Close Game by Score of 3 to 2.**

Boston, Mass., July 29.—With two out in the ninth pinch hitter, Bass, who joined Boston today from Richmond, singled to left, Herzog singled to center, and Taggard's triple, which Slack misjudged, scored the two runs necessary to give Boston a 3 to 2 victory over Chicago. Score—

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 000110000 | 2 | 7 | 4 |
| Boston | 000900102 | 3 | 7 | 2 |

Batteries — Douglas and Killifer; Regan, Northrop and Wilson.

### GIANTS LOSE AGAIN.

**Pirates Bunch Hits off Perrit, Winning 4 to 2.**

New York, July 29. — Pittsburgh again defeated New York here today by a score of 4 to 2. Pittsburgh bunched hits in the first and eighth innings off Perrit, winning the game in the later inning on singles by Cooper, Carey and Southworth. Score:

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| Pittsburgh | 200000200 | 4 | 8 | 1 |
| New York | 000200000 | 2 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries—Cooper and Schmidt; Perrit and McCarthy.

### QUAKERS TAKE FOURTH PLACE

**By Defeating Reds in Hot Battle at Philadelphia.**

Philadelphia, Pa., July 29.—Philadelphia defeated Cincinatti in an 11-inning battle for fourth place today, the score being 5 to 4. Score:

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| Cincinatti | 10012000000 | 4 | 8 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 00020000201 | 5 | 2 | 1 |

Batteries — Snyder and Wingo; Hogg and Adams.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

### SENATORS SHUT OUT.

**Timely Hitting by White Sox Wins 1 to 0 Game.**

Chicago, Ill., July 29. — Wilber Good's timely single, which followed Schalk's double, broke up today's extra inning game in the thirteenth and gave Chicago a 1 to 0 victory over Washington.

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 000 000 000 000 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| Chicago | 000 000 000 000 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 |

Batteries — Hopper, Johnson and Picinich; Ainsmith, Burns and Schalk.

### TIGERS STILL ON WAR PATH.

**Heavy Hitting by Detroit Gives Them 3 to 2 Victory over New York.**

Detroit, Mich., July 29. — A single by Coffee and triples by Dauss and Bush in the fourth inning gave Detroit a 3 to 2 victory over New York today. Score:

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| New York | 100100000 | 2 | 8 | 1 |
| Detroit | 100200000x | 3 | 6 | 1 |

Batteries — Mogridge and Hannah; Dauss and Stanage.

### RED SOX DEFEAT BROWNS.

**Boston Bunches Hits Off Sothoron in Fifth.**

St. Louis, Mo., July 29. — Boston bunched three hits off Sothoron in the fifth and, aided by Dereritt's error, won today's game from St. Louis, 3 to 2.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 100020000 | 3 | 7 | 0 |
| St. Louis | 000002000 | 2 | 4 | 2 |

Batteries — Ruth and Mayer; Sothoron and Hale, Nunnamaker.

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

| | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| At Rochester— | | | |
| Binghamton | 2 | 6 | 4 |
| Rochester | 4 | 6 | 1 |
| At Toronto— | | | |
| Toronto | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Jersey City | 5 | 11 | 1 |

At Baltimore—Syracuse and Baltimore game postponed.

At Newark—Buffalo and Newark game postponed. Two games tomorrow.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

### New York Market.

New York, July 29.—Mid-summer idleness accentuated by the slim attendance of members and continued abstention of public interest, characterized today's session of the stock exchange. War news was again eminently satisfactory, but barren of tangible results.

Noteworthy movements of the day were mainly downward, general motors had an extreme decline of 9 points, with only a nominad recovery, while Samatra tobacco was forced to close at the figure of 3½ points and Lorrlard was ten points on one transaction.

U. S. steel was watched for some indications of tomorrow's dividend action, but the stock rose and fell within a fractional area, closing at a ½ point gain. Related equipments were steady and firm on very little trading, but utilities were relatively active.

Call money was easy at the opening, but hardened to 6% at the close, time funds showing continued firmness.

Liberty bonds evinced slight heaviness with the general bond list. Paris 6s, however, gaining a fraction.

Old U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

### New York Produce.

Butter—Steady; receipts, 10,230; creamery, higher than extras, 45¾@46; creamery, extras (92 score), 44¾@45; firsts, 42½@44½; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 24.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 16,204; fresh gathered extras, 46@47; fresh gathered, regular packed, extra firsts, 44@45; do regular packed, firsts, 40@43; state Penna. and nearby western hennery whites, fine to fancy, 53@54; state Penna. and nearby hennery browns, 48@50; do gathered, browns and mixed colors, 38@47.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 3,226; state fresh specials, 25½@25¾; do average run, 25@25¼.

Live poultry—Firm; broilers, 36@38, fowls, 32; roosters, 24; turkeys, 28@30. Dressed, steady; chickens, 39@46, fowls, 31½@36; old roosters, 26@27½.

### New York Meats.

Beeves—Receipts, 2,880; firm, common to fair steers, $9.00@15.00; bulls, $8.00@10.50; cows, $5.00@10.60.

Calves—Receipts, 4,200; irregular; veals, $14.00@18.00; culls, $10.00@13.00; skim milk calves, $9.00@10.00; grassers, $7.00@9.00; yearlings, $7.50@8.00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,680; steady; sheep, $8.50@12.50; culls, $5.00@8.00; lambs, $15.00@18.00; culls, $12.00@14.00.

Hogs — Receipts, 3,700; steady; heavy to light weights, $19.25@19.75; roughs, $17.00.

### ONEONTA MARKET.

**Grain and Feed at Retail.**

(Corrected by Morris Brothers.)

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| Salt, 140 lb. sack | $1.32 |
| Corn, kiln dried | $1.99 |
| Corn meal, table use | $6.00 |
| Corn meal, cwt. | $3.68 |
| Oats | 95@97 |
| Dairy feed (special) cwt. | $3.10 |
| Hominy | $3.35 |
| Gluten, cwt. | $2.90 |

**Prices Paid Producers.**

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| Butter, fresh dairy | 44@45 |
| Butter, creamery | 45@46 |
| Eggs, fresh laid, dozen | 42 |
| Veal, sweet milk veals | 18@20 |
| Dressed pork | 22 |
| Dressed beef | 16@18 |
| Veal, grain fed | 14@15 |
| Fowls, lb. | 28 |
| Potatoes, new, a bushel | $1.75@2.00 |

**Hides.**

(Quoted by Miller Hide Co.)

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| Cow hides | 14 |
| Bull hides, over 60 lbs. | 11 |
| No. 3 hides, one-third less. | |
| Horse hides | $5.50to6.00 |
| Dairy Skins | $1.75to$2.25 |
| Veal skins | $2.50to4.50 |
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## FISH-SKIN SHOES COMING?

**Quite Possible, Though It Must Be Admitted They Are Not Altogether Desirable Footwear.**

When things come to the worst every day is going to be like Friday—the atmosphere will be crowded with the aroma of fish. There is a scarcity of leather, as everybody knows, and, that being so, tanners are making a diligent search for other substitutes, and new sources of supply. Experts declare that the skins of aquatic creatures offer a practically undeveloped resource, and it is not unlikely that before long we shall be covering our extremities with the skins of the man-eating shark and the sacred codfish. The reason such skins have not heretofore been utilized for leather is not because they are not perfectly well adapted for such use, but only because the skins of land animals have been so plentiful. Disciples of Izaak Walton dispute the experts about the curing of fishskins. They say once a fish always a fish. If it comes to pass that we adopt fish-skin shoes these fishermen offer some advice to the callow youth who goes courting. "Leave your fish-skin shoes on the front porch, like the Hollanders and Japs, and court in your stocking feet. Otherwise there will be a chilly reception awaiting you." Being married, they are talking by the book.

**Proof Positive.**

"Are you sure this chicken is tender?" asked the customer in the market.

"Yes, I think it is, sir," replied the marketman.

"And do you know that it is fresh killed?"

"Oh, yes, sir."

"Are you sure?"

"Positive."

"Why are you so positive?"

"Because I caught it in my war garden only yesterday."

**Too Much to Ask.**

"Would you advise a boy to study the classics?"

"Yes, if he has the time. But it seems hard to expect him to take his mind off what's going on right now and go away back to the fall of Troy."

## CAUSE AND CURE OF CRAMPS

**Too High Blood Pressure Frequently Brings Them On—Removed by Vigorous Rubbing.**

In this article we shall discuss only the local muscular spasms that affect most commonly the calves of the legs, but that sometimes occur in the thighs, the arms or the wall of the abdomen. Internal cramps, or colic, swimmer's cramp and writer's cramp are affections of an entirely different nature.

A cramp, in this restricted sense, is a sudden, painful and very strong contraction of a small part of a muscle; it does not usually cause any movement in the affected limb, for to do that a contraction of nearly the entire muscle is necessary, and then we have what is called a spasm, or a convulsion.

The contraction is involuntary, although persons who are subject to cramps sometimes bring them on by a voluntary movement, such as stretching. The early-morning cramp is often brought on by the stretching to which one is prone on awaking. Very commonly the cramp comes on during sleep, and the intense pain awakens the sufferer with a start. The affected part of the muscle forms a hard knot, and if a large part of the muscle is involved the limb may be drawn up.

Children and the aged suffer more often with cramps than do persons in middle life. In children the cause is usually violent exercise, such as running and jumping, but in the elderly a tendency to cramps is often caused by incipient hardening of the arteries. When the blood pressure is high, cramps often occur, but they cease to trouble if the pressure is reduced. Persons who are rheumatic and gouty are especially liable to be attacked by cramps—very likely because hardening of the arteries accompanies their constitutional disposition.

The treatment of a single cramp of the calf is very simple: stand on tiptoe in such a way as to stretch the calf muscle and at the same time rub the place where the contraction has occurred. That will put an end to the attack promptly. If the attacks recur frequently, there is probably some constitutional fault that needs correction, and the sufferer should consult his physician.—Youth's Companion.

## NEAR-TOBACCO KILLS HUNS

**Substitute Used by Teutons Is Termed More Deadly Than Enemy Gas Attacks.**

Amsterdam.—The tobacco substitute supplied to the Germany army has proved more injurious than enemy gas attacks, Deputy Mueller of Meiningen asserted in the reichstag. The substitute is composed of beech leaves, says the Koelnische Zeitung. On behalf of the army administration General von Oven admitted that further delivery of the substitute has been stopped.

**Changed Subject of Woe.**

Irene was crying in bed because her mamma insisted she should wear a certain nightgown. At last mamma said: "Why, Irene, how foolish to cry about that! You'll sleep just as well in that gown as any other." She stopped long enough to say, very dignified: "But, mamma, you don't know. I've changed my mind and I'm crying about another thing now."

## FEAR SELECTIVE DRAFT

**Mexicans of Laredo, Tex., Are Fleeing to Mexico.**

As a result of war conditions and especially the selective draft striking terror to many of the Mexican residents of Laredo, Tex., and causing them to flee with their families from this country, or "hiding out" their children to prevent enrollment on the scholastic census, the number of school children of the Laredo Independent school district, according to the scholastic census, recently completed, has been reduced by 763. The scholastic census shows a total of 5,569.

**Value of Old Shoes.**

From one ton of old shoes can be extracted metals to the value of $4.70; grease, $7.25; animal black, $50; sulphate of ammonia, $22.50; a total of $83.45, or about 15 cents a pair. The grease is a good lubricant and the animal black is sold by M. C. Lamb, the English chemist who is responsible for these figures, to be equal to the best of bone black.


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# OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

### FUNERAL OF D. W. BUSH.

**Held Saturday Afternoon at Schenevus Methodist Episcopal Church.**

Schenevus, July 29. — The funeral of Dwight W. Bush was held at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. R. S. Boyce, who spoke feelingly of the high esteem in which the deceased was held by the community. Music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Boyce, Mrs. Philip Briggs and Charles W. Stever. The Masonic lodge and Business Men's association were present in large numbers. These two organizations filled one side of the church edifice. The bearers were J. Godcard, George Lovell, William Jenkins, Willard A. Hubbard, John J. Esmay and William R. Osborne.

Among those present from out of town were Miss Chrisman of Albany, Mrs. Jenkins of Central Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Bush of Cooperstown, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Stilwell and daughter of Colliers, Mr. and Mrs. L. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnard and Mrs. George Roberts of Westford.

As a mark of respect all business places in town were closed during the services.

**Poultry House Burns.**

The poultry house on the farm of Stephen Carson, east of this village, was burned Saturday night. Mr. Carson was able to save a part of the fowls. It is thought that the fire originated from sparks blown from a passing engine.

**Schenevus Snap Shots.**

Miss Martha Terwilliger of Oneonta was a guest of Miss Marion Boardman at her home here Sunday. — Edward Theyson discovered an "alien enemy" in his poultry house Sunday morning about 2 o'clock. After a fierce battle, during which several shots were fired, the enemy was put to rout. Mr. Theyson is to be congratulated that he did not have to bury his pajamas. — Miss Nina D. Chase left Sunday evening for Albany, where she will take a course in stenography at the Albany Business college. — Miss Marjorie Chase of Albany was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stanley Chase, over Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bennett, Mrs. Alice Bennett and Miss Carolyn Bennett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aplin at Hartwick Sunday. Miss Carolyn Bennett remained for a more extended visit.

**Ralph Bennett at Wanna Sanitarium.**

Ralph Bennett of Schenevus was taken to the Wanna sanitarium in Oneonta on Sunday, suffering from an attack of appendicitis. An operation was performed by Dr. Brinkman, assisted by Dr. Latcher of Oneonta and Dr. Bolt of Worcester. The operation was successful and last evening the condition of the patient was reported as very favorable. Many friends extend best wishes for his recovery.

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### COLLIERS COMMENT.

Colliers, July 29. — The Sewing circle will meet at the Red Cross room Thursday, August 1, for the day, to tie comforters. A large attendance is desired as there will be election of officers. Kindly bring refreshments for a lunch.—Misses Lillian and Pauline VanDeusen have returned to New York, after spending a week at their home here. — Mr. and Mrs. George Timewell and daughter of Waterbet spent the week-end at his father's camp on the lake.—Mrs. Margaret Southworth and Katherine and Mary Ketchum of Herkimer are spending two weeks at P. R. Southworth's.—Bernard Spaulding and wife have returned home from a visit to Camp Dix and a week spent with relatives in Binghamton.—Miss Madge Stanton is at Stamford for the summer.—Private Edward Snyder was home from Camp Dix for a short furlough over Sunday.

### MIDDLEFIELD MATTERS.

**Ladies' Auxiliary Serve Luncheon at Methodist Church.**

Middlefield, July 29.—The Ladies' Auxiliary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will serve luncheon and ice cream at the church parlors August 1 from 5 o'clock until all are served.

**Personals.**

Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Price spent Sunday in Richmondville, Schoharie and Middleburgh.—Mrs. Emmett VanDeBoe was in Cobleskill last week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darling, who are the happy parents of a seven-pound daughter, Ella May, born July 19.—Mrs. Susan Ismond, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Hearn, for a number of weeks, was able to return to her home on the farm Sunday.—H. J. Ismond, who has been a patient at the hospital at Cooperstown for the past nine weeks, spent from Friday until Sunday as the guest of his niece, Mrs. C. E. Hearn, returning to the hospital Sunday afternoon.—Mrs. Floyd Pitts and two daughters and Miss Marjorie Allen attended the Chautauqua at Cooperstown last week. — Mrs. Orin Waters and two children of Ilion spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Flint.—Mrs. S. S. Robbins, who had been spending two weeks at Tuckhannock, Pa., returned home accompanied by a friend, on Friday.

### WELLS BRIDGE BUDGET.

Wells Bridge, July 29.—Claud S. Youmans and Clyde Wood of this place were among the six from this district to go to Vancouver Barracks, Washington, for duty with Spruce production division of the Military Aeronautics corps, U. S. A., leaving Oneonta Monday at 10.35.—After August 1 the stores in this place will be closed Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6 p. m.—Picnic parties along the river banks have been many the past week.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cornell with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cornell and their son, Louis, all of Masonville, were visitors of S. L. Youmans and family on Sunday. — Many fields of potatoes in this vicinity are already struck with the blight and the apple crop will be a very light one.—Mr. and Mrs. Van Birdsall with their daughter, Iva Birdsall, all of Masonville, were guests of William Birdsall on Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sisson with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Youmans visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Quincey of Afton on Sunday.

### COOPERSTOWN JUNCTION.

Cooperstown Junction, July 29. — Mr. and Mrs. William Sowles of Hudson have been visiting Mrs. Sowles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Tate, the past few days.—Earl Smith of Endicott visited his father, John Smith, last Saturday and Sunday.—H. W. Nardin of La Grange, Ill., arrived here last Friday for a five weeks' vacation with his father-in-law, M. C. Dayton.—Miss Marion Every of Binghamton called on friends here last Thursday.——Miss Inette Dayton returned home last Sunday, after spending the week in Oneonta attending the Chautauqua.—Mr. and Mrs. James Zeh and Mr. and Mrs. Theron Manning of Oneonta were callers here last Sunday.

**South Hartwick Man Sells Farm.**

South Hartwick, July 29.—John Hackley has sold his farm here to Joe Hurlburt of Hartwick. Possession given the first of September. Mr. Hackley moves to Hartwick. We regret to lose Mr. Hackley's people from our community.

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### DAVENPORT CENTER DATA.

**Rev. and Mrs. Summerson to Entertain Red Cross Wednesday Afternoon.**

Davenport Center, July 29. — The Red Cross of Davenport Center will meet at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage Wednesday afternoon and be entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Summerson. All members as well as all interested in the work are requested to be present.

**Other Items of Interest.**

A musicale for the benefit of the Red Cross will be given by the Epworth leage of the Methodist Episcopal church of Davenport Center, Tuesday evening, July 30.—Mrs. Alton Potter and tow children, Harry and Dorothy, together with A. J. VanDyke, left town Monday for an extended visit with the latter's son, Charles VanDyke, at Ogdensburg.

**Buffalo as Beast of Burden.**

The buffalo has always been rated as untamable, and many scientists have regarded him as one of the most stupid beasts that ever existed. It has remained for Major Bob Yokum of Pierre, S. D., after five years of effort, to accomplish the wonderful feat of training a pair of buffaloes to trot to wagon, and also to do many other remarkable stunts. Major Yokum is a former United States marshal, and is known in the old ranching and cowboy life of the American West, from Texas to Oregon. One of the accomplishments of the Yokum team is to race against horses, and they distance their speedy competitors. They loathe the saddling process, and when the rider mounts them will "buck" in a way to shame a veteran broncho.—St. Nicholas.

**How Would You Tie a Camel?**

Because of its peculiar swaying motion in walking the camel has been called the "ship of the desert." This title may also have some reference to the extreme stupidity and passivity of the animal, which submits to great loads, which it will often carry for days at a time without stopping for food or drink, with no more urging than a ship would require from the hands of its pilot, says the Popular Science Monthly. The manner in which the drivers hobble the camels when they stop for a rest is interesting. They do not depend upon stakes driven in the deep, yielding sand, but simply double back and tie one of the forelegs of the animal, so that it can lie down or rise up, but cannot move from the spot.

**"WOPS," "BOHUNKS," ETC., BANNED**

Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.—"Wops," "dagoes," "bohunks" and similar names may not hereafter be applied to non-English-speaking soldiers at Camp Gordon. General Sage has issued an order requiring soldiers and officers to so conduct themselves toward non-English-speaking soldiers that no prejudice, antipathies or humiliation may arise.

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## KAISER ON HIS TOWER.

The latest telegram of the kaiser to his troops informed them on the day of the opening of the Marne drive that he was watching them from a tower 89 feet high overlooking the field, and he enjoined them to fight on for the Empire and the kaiser. If the most-puissant overlord is still watching from that tower he has been left behind by the Hun armies. But there is no hope for that. The kaiser and his six sons are never in the danger zone.

## GERMANS IN RUSSIA.

The Germans are having trouble in Russia as well as on the western battle front. The provisional government at Omsk has assumed the reins of government in Siberia, has annulled all Bolshevik decrees and has reestablished the Siberian Duma. The rebellion in the Ukraine has also become formidable, and 75,000 fairly efficient men are advancing against the Germans. The trouble which Germany has in Russia has taken on new features. Earlier it was a war against the government. Later there came the time of disorganization, of whichh the Germans took full advantage. Now the war is between the Germans and the Russian people, and that is a different thing. There is good reason to believe that these Russian loyalists, not royalists, are from this time going to give good account of themselves.

## THE CROPS IN NEW ENGLAND.

Reports from all parts of the country indicate that the recent dry weather has had a most unfavorable effect upon crops, and that while there will be a good supply of food, there will be no such bumper crops as earlier were confidently predicted. In New England, for example, the latest bulletins are to the effect that, while grains are doing well, the damage done to potatoes, turnips and cabbage by plant lice, to fruit by the prolonged spring cold, and to hay by the present drought is severe. The New England report is probably a fair index of York state conditions; and if this is true it behooves no gardener or farmer to let up on his efforts. All that he can raise, save and harvest will be needed and more, if not only our country but our boys in France and to a reasonable extent, our Allies are to have food.

## 'TIS A TEUTONIC WAY.

It has been the way of the Prussians and their allies to herald every new offensive by a period of speech-making; and this fact is believed by many to add significance to the utterances of the new Austrian premier, Baron von Haussarek, who on Friday said that "in firm union with Germany, with which we are united in unshakable friendship and loyalty, it is now imperative to enforce a successful end to this great struggle." From this and other utterances a drive in Italy is prognosticated, and doubtless the German general staff, on account of its own losses and the desire to draw the Allies to another front, are urging such an offensive. If the drive comes, however, it will meet a resolute Italy, and along with it numerous divisions of those Americans, of whose quality the Crown Prince's army is just now getting a taste.

### Joe Lawson for Congress.

The Democratic committee for the Twenty-eighth Congressional district held a meeting in Albany yesterday and unanimously recommended the nomination of Joseph A. Lawson of that city for representative in congress at the September primaries. As this recommendation is equivalent to the party choice there is no doubt that he will be the Democratic standard bearer in his district this fall. Mr. Lawson is an able attorney and for five years was court reporter for the state, being appointed by Governor Dix. He has been a frequent visitor at the home of his life-long friend, William W. Capron, of this city, and has on several occasions delighted Oneontans as an after dinner speaker at banquets of the Merchants' association. He has many friends here who would be pleased should his district send him to Washington.

### Books for Soldiers.

In response to the appeal made a short time ago for additional contributions of books for soldiers about 200 volumes have lately been received from Mrs. Haupt of the Emmons Farms, and a like number through Mrs. W. D. VanDerwerken from the Otego branch of the Red Cross. There have also been smaller contributions, but not in such number as had been hoped for. There are doubtless many of our citizens who have upon their shelves one or more volumes of recent fiction which they would willingly contribute for this purpose. All who are willing to help out in this matter can leave their contributions at the rooms of the Oneonta Public library at any time during office hours.

### Keep Watch Over Thoughts.

What a responsibility we have in being parents to thoughts; how we should shun the mongrel thought-babies and keep them away.—Exchange.

## A NEW POTATO DISEASE

**Form of Blight Unknown Until This Year Attacks Potatoes in Oneonta.**

Potato growers in Oneonta have, during the past few days, been disquieted over the announcement that a new form of disease was attacking the potato [illegible], and that as a result thereof the crop in this [illegible] might materially be shortened. The first manifestation of the disease was in the [illegible] planted by Ceperley & Morgan company upon their plot in the lower part of the city. About ten days ago a peculiar [illegible] was noted on the vines, which were [illegible] sprayed with Bordeaux mixture. This did not stop the [illegible] and patches [illegible] of a peculiar tint of rusty brown.

Mayor Ceperley accordingly got in communication with Manager Barlow of the Farm Bureau, who yesterday sent his assistant to this city to look over the situation. After saying that he had personally never seen anything like it, the expert drew from his pocket a letter from the State Department of Agriculture exactly diagnosing the case, and stating that it had appeared to a considerable extent in Tioga county and that it had as yet been unable to determine either the cause or cure of the disease, which has been named the Hobo blight.

The appearance of the blight in Oneonta is said to be the first reported outside of Tioga county, though other reports will doubtless come in. The disease attacks the potato at the point where the stem joins the ground. The stem takes on a canker-like appearance, dries and withers from the stem upward, and in two or three days the vines are dead. Mr. Ceperley and the farm bureau expert visited several gardens in the West End section and found the same condition as on the Ceperley & Morgan plot. The disease apparently attacks the early planted varieties, the late planted ones showing no symptoms of the blight as yet. Hills of Early Rose which have the blight show that the potatoes are perfectly smooth, and the disease does not in any case appear to have affected the tubers. There is of course the arrested growth, and Mayor Ceperley estimates that the Early Rose plots will not average over 25 per cent of a crop. The quality is not injured, but the yield is light.

There is no question that the sudden appearance of this new disease is disquieting. The potato already had many enemies to contend with, what with bugs and blight and scab, and the new foe adds another to a previous formidable list.

## DON'T DESPISE SALTING

**Little Used Method of Preserving Vegetables Has Several Advantages, Bulletin Points Out.**

Although salting is less used than most other methods of preserving perishable vegetables, it nevertheless has several distinct advantages, points out the State College of Agriculture in a bulletin just issued.

The process is simple, requires no expensive equipment, and helps in the shortage of tin and glass cans, as in many cases large crocks may be used for storing the salted vegetables.

The bulletin gives full directions for salting all kinds of vegetables. String beans, kohl-rabi, parsley, swiss chard and like vegetables, for example, will keep well when packed in alternate layers of dry salt, provided enough brine is added two days after they are packed to cover them completely.

The bulletin likewise gives many recipes for the use of the salted vegetables. Here is one for stuffed green tomatoes:

Soak salted tomatoes for two hours. Remove a slice from the top of each, take out the seeds, and fill the cavity with a mixture of boiled hominy grits, barley, or rice, well seasoned with onion, paprika, and ground peanuts. Place the tomatoes in a baking dish, and add enough stock to cover them. Cover the dish, and bake it slowly until the tomatoes are tender, which will be about one hour.

Any who may care for a copy of this bulletin may obtain one by writing the college at Ithaca for R. C. F. H. 119. The title is "Preserving Vegetables with salt.

## TWO KINDS OF PEOPLE.

**A Little Girl and a Loafer at the D. & H. Station Monday.**

The war, which day by day impresses its lesson on the general public, does not yet reach all, though to some it is heartrending. There were two striking examples by way of contrast at the Delaware and Hudson station yesterday morning.

One was of a mother who had watched the departure of a son. With lips quivering and tears streaming from her eyes, she had seen him go, and had thrown herself down on one of the station seats in a very abandon of grief. By her side stood a girl of not over three years whose little hands clutched and stroked those of the older one, with the oft-repeated words, "Grandma, grandma, dear!"

At almost the same instant outside the station a wife or sweetheart, or perhaps a sister, was, with arms around his neck, kissing another of the men a last good-by. And in that sacred moment of departure a loud-mouthed ruffian in the smoker called out "Kiss her good, old feller! It's the last time you will ever see her, by G—d!"

Of such different elements is humanity compounded!

### Operation for Appendicitis.

Mrs. Belle Johnson of Maryland was brought to the Fox Memorial hospital by Dr. Burdick yesterday afternoon. The patient was suffering from an attack of acute appendicitis, and a successful operation was performed by Dr. Marsh, assisted by Dr. Burdick. At last reports the condition of the patient was very favorable.

A Three Months' subscription to The Star for $1.00.

## COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

### To Avenge His Chums.

Joseph T. Palastra, aged 18, a Brooklyn orphan who lived for many years in St. John's Orphan asylum in that city, has enlisted in the service, in order to show his affection for his boyhood chums who laid down their lives in France. The three boys were all at St. John's together and they became firm friends. The two boys who gave their lives in France were William Reeay and William McCutcheon. Young Palastra had long thought of enlisting, but he felt that he had time enough to decide. When the names of his friends appeared on the casualty lists, he felt that he was acting like a slacker and straightway enlisted. His aim is to get a War Cross.—[Utica Press.

### Industrial Adjustments.

Raising the wages of 500,000 railroad shopmen $100,000,000 a year, Director General McAdoo makes another record as a war-time employer. In comparison with such a decision as this most of the industrial adjustments arrived at after perplexity and turmoil in the days of peace now look in the dim perspective like 30 cents.—[New York World.

### Coming Grandly.

Corn, which had been sending its roots deeper and deeper into the soil during the rather cold days of June and the first weeks of July, is growing so rapidly this hot weather that one can almost hear the rustling of the ears as they begin to shoot out.—[Utica Observer.

### Another German Intrigue.

It is reported that Prince Christopher, brother of former King Constantine of Greece, is to marry a wealthy American woman who is at present staying in Switzerland. The report says that the former King, who is financially embarrassed, expects to obtain the money necessary to finance a campaign for the restoration of his throne, through the marriage, and that last but not least his brother-in-law, the German emperor, supports the plan.—[Exchange.

### Indiscriminate Discourse.

"I believe that everybody ought to say exactly what he thinks in his own way."

"And yet," replied the slow-speaking man, "that plan didn't seem to help much at the Tower of Babel."—[Washington Star.

### Back to the Simple Life.

The New York Central railroad has reduced its force of porters at the Grand Central terminal to the minimum number necessary to assist invalids, infirm persons and women and children. The reduction is made under the "work or fight" order. Porters were not needed when American railroads lived the simple life, and no doubt a return to it, as respects obliging able-bodied males to carry their own hand baggage, will be beneficial.—[New York World.

376 Wright's delivery. advt tf


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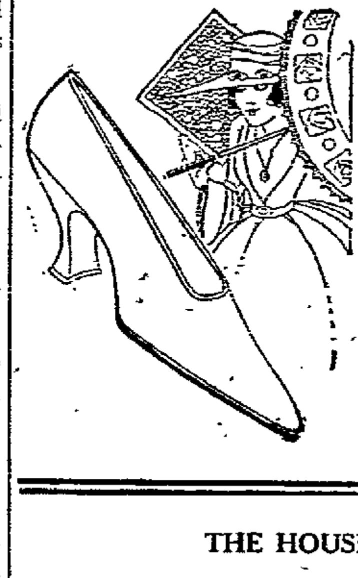

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| 8 a. m. | 75 |
| 2 p. m. | 85 |
| 8 p. m. | 80 |

Maximum, 88—Minimum, 69

### LOCAL MENTION.

—George J. Clute has purchased as an investment the house and lot of Mrs. Delia Hitchcock at 198 Spruce street.

—The Chautauqua contract for 1919 was definitely signed by 50 guarantors yesterday, assuring its return for another year.

—John Wright has removed from Norwich to the house at 72 Clinton street and entered the employ of Doyle & Smith.

—The Evening School of Telegraphy is teaching wireless telegraphy in addition to the regular telegraph class at the Fairchild building on Main street.

—Trainmasters Gargan and Ferry, Master Mechanic Donellan and Mr. Beckstedt of the D. & H. force, joined other D. & H. officials aboard car 200 bound south for a tour of inspection and attached to train 306, last evening.

—Work covering the Dietz street pavement with a tarvia product followed by a top dressing of coarse screenings is progressing rapidly and gives promise of being a decided improvement to the surface of the street.

—B. E. Swart has recently received and now has adorning his apartments at the Windsor, the finely mounted buck's head, the result of his hunting trip last fall. It has fine antlers and the job of mounting was exceedingly well done.

—The pressure canner will be in operation today and all the rest of the week at the Community kitchen in the Emmons block. No further orders for canning can be taken for Wednesday, but vegetables will be booked for the balance of the week at the Red Cross rooms.

—The disagreement between Lolas Brothers, who conduct a shoe shining parlor at 218 Main street, over financial matters, has been satisfactorily adjusted and the best of feeling prevails among the brothers. George Lolas retires from the firm, leaving the business in charge of Nicholas and Stephen Lolas.

—Daniel Trinkino, who recently traded farms in the town of Middlefield for the stock of groceries and the old Shadyside property at West End, is removing the stock of goods to his store at 37 Chestnut street. He some time since sold his Maple street residence and now contemplates occupying the Shadyside property as a residence for the present.

#### Meetings Today.

Centennial lodge, No. 447, I. O. O. F., this evening at 8 o'clock. A good attendance is desired. Odd Fellows welcome.

#### Postponed Meeting.

The Sixth Ward Red Cross, which was to meet with Mrs. Edmunds and Mrs. Hanson on South Side this afternoon, has been postponed to Tuesday afternoon of next week.

#### Meetings Wednesday.

The Oneonta Plains Red Cross will meet with Mrs. William Richards, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp.

The ladies of the West End Baptist church will meet in the Red Cross rooms in the Reynolds block Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

#### Notice to Democrats.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic County committee to which the Democratic men and women of the county are invited to attend, Tuesday, July 30, at 1:00 o'clock at the County Court house at Cooperstown. All interested are invited. C. J. Beams, secretary.

#### Red Cross Executive Board Meets.

There will be a meeting of the executive board of the Oneonta chapter of the American Red Cross at 7 o'clock this evening at the residence of A. B. Tobey, 79 Chestnut street.


Eye glasses as fitted by Dr. Shoemaker, optometrist, give best satisfaction. Eyes examined Wednesdays. Hours, 11 to 4. Department Store building, second floor, main entrance. advt 1t

Fashion shop—Ten days' clearance sale on all garments. At that time will close to have place remodeled. If in need of garments, buy now. 176 Main street, upstairs. advt 2t

Telegraphy—Morse code and wireless telegraphy. Continental code taught evenings at the Fairchild building. Communicate with The Evening School of Telegraphy. advt-T-tf


#### Notice.

All accounts due Jennings & Bates payable at 242 Main street until Aug. 15, after which they will be placed for collection.


A small family wanted to live in the telephone building at Cherry Valley, N. Y., and operate the telephone exchange. Apply at the Oneonta central office. advt 2t

Notice—If party who took gold cross and chain from 6 Maple street will return same by mail no questions will be asked. Otherwise, further action. advt 1t


#### Big Reductions.


On low shoes for the entire family. Shear & Sharpe Shoe store, next to Wilber bank. advt 3t

Wanted—Help to pick raspberries. E. D. Kenyon, 23 Main street. advt 1t

Wanted—Boy over 16 years of age at Nye's bakery. advt 1t


## VICTORY SPECIAL IN ONEONTA

**Hundreds of Oneonta Women—and Some Men—Present at Demonstration Monday — Miss Brewer Practically Demonstrates How "Food Will Win the War."**

The Victory Special, consisting of two long passenger coaches, one of them fitted with seats and with a rostrum at the front end, and the other filled with delicious fruits, grains and vegetables and other food products, and with easily home made household utensils, arrived in Oneonta Monday morning from Cooperstown; and beginning at 2:30 p. m. and continuing until after 4 o'clock, there was a demonstration by Miss Lucille Brewer of the method of making and baking various worth-while viands designed to save wheat and meat and so to help Uncle Sam win the war.

During the afternoon there were between 200 and 250 women present at the demonstration, but owing to the limited space not all were able to listen to the demonstration. The others, however, visited the exhibition car and doubtless receive a good measure of instruction.

The demonstration by Miss Brewer, which was repeated at 8 o'clock last evening, including the making of wheatless yeast bread, of cottage cheese loaf, of cottage cheese salad and of mashed potato and corn meal muffins. Along with the demonstration went a running comment on the food situation and what women could do toward alleviating it and the duty of the housekeeper in this emergency. The talk had the close attention of all present, and there is no doubt that much good has been done by the Victory Special, which has been in service on the railways of the state since May 9 and which after completing the D. & H. goes to the D., L. & W. and the Lehigh Valley, for the month of August. In the evening there was a good attendance, though perhaps not as large as would have been the case had it previously been advertised.

The exhibition car was a veritable "canned" garden of delight to housewives. Lining both sides of the car from end to end were cans of preserves and canned fruits, bottled fruit juices of all kinds, canned peas, beans, beets, corn, asparagus, chard, spinach, greens and practically every variety of garden product susceptible to such treatment. In addition to the canned articles there were also on exhibition many dried articles, and alongside them in cups the same articles soaked out in water in preparation for use, showing in every case excellent results.

A special feature of the exhibition car was a display consisting of a small bottle of milk, and surrounding it a group of vegetables and grains, showing how much would be required by any one of these articles to afford as much lime, or fat, or protein as the milk contained. It was a suggestive exhibit and enforced as perhaps nothing else could have done the desirability of everybody eating milk.

Among the utensils shown which can easily and cheaply be made at home were vegetable cutters, two forms of fireless cookers, one made from a butter or lard tub and the other from a box, and an iceless refrigerator, wherein the same principle of evaporation as that which for hundreds of years has been applied to East Indian water bottles is successfully utilized. In the exhibition car the capable assistant of Miss Brewer and Miss Ewing assisted in demonstrations and explanations.

The Victory Special leaves this morning for Unadilla, where there will be a demonstration at 2 p. m. The train will be at Sidney Wednesday at the same hours, at Bainbridge Thursday from 1 to 3 p. m. and at Afton the same day at 7 to 9 p. m. No housewife on the line of its itinerary should fail to attend one of the demonstrations on the Victory Special.

#### Will Lose Three Fingers.

Harold Newcomb, a D. & H. trainman residing in Carbondale, Pa., had the misfortune to have his hand caught between the tank of an engine which he was riding in the yards here and a car that stood upon a siding and projected out too far to permit the tank to clear. He narrowly escaped having his body caught, but managed to throw himself up on the tank but did not have time to free the hand. He was removed to the Fox hospital in the Allied Trade ambulance, where Dr. Marsh attended him. The surgeon hopes to save all but three fingers, although the hand was badly torn and lacerated.


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## RAILROAD SHOPMEN PLEASED

**All Get Substantial Increases in Pay With Lessened Hours and Back Pay From January 1—Nearly 800 Men Effected.**

About 800 men will share in the increased wages announced from Washington and published in the Associated Press dispatches of The Star recently as affecting the railroad shopmen of the country. The increases date from January 1 last and in addition to their pay for the last two weeks, which the men will receive either today or tomorrow, they will receive the back pay due them for the month of January last.

While definite figures are not obtainable the increase is substantial and will put the shop employes upon a more equitable basis with other lines of employment than they have enjoyed for years. In the locomotive department the maximum wage prior to the increase was 55 cents an hour which is now increased to 68 cents, while that for helpers, which formerly was 31½ cents, is increased to 45 cents. In all departments the maximum wage becomes 68 cents, with 45 as minimum and the number of men who will receive increases varying from about 25 per cent to 40 and even above is large. It will mean hundreds of thousands dollars annually to the shopmen of the city and will put them in a more independent position than ever before.

The back pay checks for January, which are to be distributed reach as high as $40 a month, although many of them are for considerably less and any estimate of the probable average would be a mere guess. However, the increase is substantial and should the opportunity for 10 and even 12 hours for a day continue, which seems not improbable with the scarcity of help and the allowance made for overtime, there are plenty of shopmen who will receive a fairly lucrative wage. Government ownership is likely to be viewed with favor among shopmen.

#### MISSING WOMAN FOUND.

**Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald for Whom Search was Made Sunday.**

Late on Sunday the police were asked to search for Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald of 54½ West Broadway, who had left the home earlier in the day, leaving the impression that she would not return and was despondent. The last seen of her on Sunday she was observed walking toward Wilcox's grove and the police spent several hours in a fruitless search. It was stated that she had quarreled with her husband the previous day and that before she departed she prepared a note warning the family to prepare for her funeral. The domestic troubles had been of long standing with booze playing a part.

Yesterday the missing woman was found at the home of friends and the search discontinued after persistent efforts, including a trip to the home of friends in Maryland had been made. It is intimated that the family differences will be adjusted and that the dove of peace, will once more reign over the household.

#### DEMOCRATS TO CONFER.

**Will Select Congressional and County Candidates at Cooperstown Today.**

A conference of the Democratic County committee has been called for the court house in Cooperstown today at 1 p. m., and all members of the party, including both men and women interested in the ticket to be selected to be recommended to the party for their support at the primaries are invited to be present and to make their views known at this conference.

It is expected that in addition to the selection of candidates for the county ticket that a choice will be made for a candidate for member of Congress, the congressional committee having referred the naming of that candidate to the Democrats of Otsego county, with assurances of support.

The invitation to attend the conference is general and is not limited to the members of the County committee, it being especially desired that the women of the party be represented at this conference.

#### Change of Business.

Glen Poole, who has been in the general merchandise and undertaking business for the past 15 years in Otego, N. Y., has disposed of his general merchandise business, but will still continue the undertaking business and will be found at his home, corner of Church and Follett streets, Otego, N. Y. Mr. Poole has been offered positions both in the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. at Washington, D. C. He has always been very active in religious work and may engage with one about October 1. advt 2t

Daniel Hopkins lodge, No. 1, B. of R. T., have bought the lodge room furnishings of Oneonta tent, No. 289, Knights of Maccabees, and take possession August 1. The Trainmen would like to have the present tenants remain. The lodge room is to be placed in first class condition and any new organizations wishing to rent same should communicate with A. M. McKinney, 37 Church street, or phone 608-W. advt 3t

Have your shoes repaired at Champion Quick Repair shop, 12 Dietz street. Here you get best work done in city. Four first class workmen enables us to turn out your work while you wait. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Frank Lekato, 12 Dietz street, Oneonta, N. Y. advt 6t

For sale, house thoroughly modern. Newly papered and painted. Large garden, fruit, hen house, at 37 Center street. Inquire at 7 Hill place. advt tf

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Underwood typewriter for sale. Price right. Phone 373-J. advt 6t


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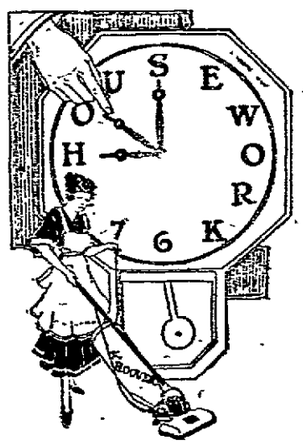


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## PERSONALS.

E. T. VanBuren of Hobart was in the city on business errands yesterday.

L. J. TenBroeck of Carbondale, Pa., was in the city yesterday afternoon calling on friends.

Miss Florence Wickoff of Amityville, L. I., is a guest of Mrs. Leslie Gardner of this city.

Master Clyde Wright of Milford Center spent Sunday with Mrs. Clara Seeger, 53 Ford avenue.

Mrs. Ralph Lawes of Schenectady is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones, of Harris street.

Dr. H. H. Barnard of Milford was in Oneonta yesterday, on his way to Liberty for a brief sojourn.

Miss Harriet Jackins of Bainbridge is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Harry C. Bard, Union street.

Mrs. Collins Bond of Springfield Center is spending the week with her son, Dr. Bond, 155 Main street.

M. C. Bosch, manager of the Hotel Arlington at Binghamton, was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

George West returned last evening. He has been in military training at the military camp for boys at Blauvelt.

Former Mayor Frank H. Truitt and family of Binghamton, en tour by motor, were at The Oneonta for luncheon yesterday.

Mrs. P. C. Gilchrist of Cortland arrived in Oneonta Saturday night and is a guest at the home of Mrs W. H. Morris.

Earl G. Place, who of late has been stopping in California, arrived in Oneonta yesterday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Morris.

Mrs. Ralph Barick, who had been spending some time in Cooperstown, was in Oneonta Monday, on her way to her home in Dover, N. J.

Miss Jane Merriam of Wallingford, Vt., who had been a guest of her cousin, Miss Charlotte Lunn, for a few days, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Ford left yesterday for a two weeks' vacation at Glimmerglass cottage on Otsego lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lown and children of Binghamton returned home Monday, after a visit at the home of Sidney Price, 39 River street.

Mrs. E. Jacobs and daughter, Muriel, of Mechanicville, returned home yesterday, after a visit at the home of Elmer Joslyn, on Ford avenue.

Lieut. Robert Johnson left yesterday for North Carolina, to return to his duties at camp. He had been visiting for a short time with Miss Carol Stewart.

Mrs. Louis T. Fay of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Harry B. Sees of Pittsfield, Mass., are guests of their mother, Mrs. Hattie L. Munson, 2½ Fair street.

Harry L. Perry, who was home from the training school at the Albany State Normal college to spend Sunday, returned that evening on his motorcycle.

Rev. E. H. Carson of East Braddock, Pa., is spending a few days in Oneonta. While here he is supplying the pulpit at the United Presbyterian church.

Leon Cook of the New York guard, now stationed at Croton Lake, who has been visiting friends in this city for a few days, returned to his company yesterday.

W. H. Hoffman and family left by motor car on Sunday to spend a week visiting friends at his old home at Clyde and with friends in Syracuse and nearby places.

Keith Kilmer, an employe of the Remington Arms company of Ilion, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kilmer of 49 Valleyview street.

Prof. C. P. Wells of Walton is the guest for several days of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wells, in this city. Later he will go to Syracuse, where his wife is now visiting.

Dr. and Mrs. John H. Ogden of Binghamton, accompanied by guests from Dayton, Ohio, were in the city yesterday motoring and stopped at The Oneonta for luncheon.

H. C. Dunham and granddaughter, Miss Olive Dunham of Binghamton, returned home yesterday, after a visit with the former's brother-in-law, D. F. Vanderberg of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Quackenbush arrived home last evening, after a two weeks' visit with friends in Detroit, Mich. He will at once resume his duties at the Oneonta club.

Dr. J. D. McCann, wife and daughter of Hornell and Attorney A. W. Morse, wife and daughter of New Berlin, called Saturday on their sister, Mrs. John D. Cater of Laurens.

Miss Alice Ford left yesterday for Long Lake, where she will spend a short vacation with Miss Emily West. Miss Ford and Miss West were classmates at the Emma Willard school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. DeMett Gardner of Prattsville, Pa., are spending a week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gardner, and with his brother, Leslie Gardner, of this city.

Miss Alice Kilkenny left Monday morning for Mt. Vernon, where for a week she will be a guest of Miss [illegible] W[illegible], who was a classmate and close friend at Mt. H[illegible].

George [illegible], late of the [illegible] corps at Fort Ethan Allen, who had been spending a short [illegible] at his home in this city, departed today for the camp at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Bert Nash and son of Walton returned home last evening, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. H. Marx. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Marx's daughter, Miss Doris, who will visit them there.

Mr. and Mrs. W[illegible] Keen of New York city are visiting [illegible] parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keen. They will leave for home on Sunday next, the parents taking them by car as far as Kingston, where they will take the train.

Robert O. Marshall, now of Athens, Pa., who had been absent on a business trip to Philadelphia, New York city and Connecticut, was at his home in this city over Sunday, leaving for Athens Monday morning. He expects to return to Oneonta in about a week to pack up his household goods in preparation for removal to his new home.

Prof. L. R. Bowdish, who had been spending two weeks in Oneonta and South New Berlin, departed yesterday for his home in New Salem, Mass. Mrs. Bowdish and son, Alton, will remain for another week at South New Berlin.

Rev. Dr. W. B. Smiley of Rochester, Pa., who was called to Oneonta to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Rockwell, arrived yesterday morning and will remain for a day or two with friends and former parishioners before returning home.

Fire Chief C. H. Choate and Thurston A. Crounse have returned from a motor trip to Elmira, to which city they accompanied a committee of the board of trustees of the village of Sidney to inspect the fire-fighting apparatus of the American La France company.

Miss Edith Blend arrived home last evening from a visit with friends in Bristol, Conn., her return being hastened from Albany, where she had expected to visit Mrs. Clarence Moore, by the critical condition of Mrs. Mary A. Coon, whom it was thought would not survive the day.

Mrs. H. W. Patton and daughters, Catharine and Edna, of Boston, Mass., arrived in the city last evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bard, and other relatives. They were accompanied by Miss Virginia Bard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Bard, who had been visiting them in Boston for a month.

Mrs. Chauncey Price and Mrs. Alice Myers of Hartwick were in Oneonta yesterday, on their way to Niagara Falls, where they will attend the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Douglas, who were drowned in Northern Ontario on Saturday. No details concerning the drowning have been received. Mrs. Douglas was a daughter of Mrs. Myers.

## DEATHS.

### William H. Whitney.

William H. Whitney, formerly engineer at the Oneonta State Normal school and for years a prominent Odd Fellow here died at his home at San Diego, Cal., on July 19, according to intelligence received yesterday by Ellis V. Brown, as an officer of Centenial lodge. Mr. Whitney had been in poor health for six or eight months and at the last died quite suddenly from a stroke of paralysis. No particulars were given, but it is assumed that the funeral and interment was held there. Mr. Whitney when he left the city more than 10 years ago had a family consisting of a wife and daughter.

### Dr. Daniel Upton.

Dr. P. I. Bugbee received yesterday news of the death quite suddenly at his home in Buffalo, on Saturday, of Dr. Daniel Upton, principal of the Buffalo State Normal school. Dr. Upton was formerly principal of the Manual Training High school at Buffalo before he became head of the State Normal school there some 10 or more years ago when he succeeded the former principal, Dr. Cassidy. He was well-known in educational circles. The funeral services will be held today, but Dr. Bugbee will be unable to attend as intelligence of his demise did not reach here until late yesterday.

### Funeral of Mrs. Rockwell.

Many friends and relatives of the late Mrs. Isabella Hume Rockwell, who died on Friday last at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hall, 62 Center street in this city, were present at the funeral service, which was held at 1:30 p. m. yesterday at the Hall residence. The service was conducted by her former pastor, Rev. Dr. W. B. Smiley of Rochester, Pa., assisted by Rev. Ernest Carson of Braddock, Pa., who is for the present supplying the United Presbyterian church of Oneonta. Dr. Smiley read appropriate passages of scripture and prayer was offered by Mr. Carson.

Taking for his text words found in the Thirty-fifth Psalm, "I bow down heavily as one who mourneth for his mother," Mr. Smiley spoke of the intimacy of the mother's relation, its tenderness and the sorrow which accompanies her loss. In this case, however, it was felt that the mother's life had not been spent in vain. She had seen the realization of her fondest hopes in the household and she had been a great blessing to her church. The one feature of her religious life which stands out prominently and enabled her to realize her hopes was her special dependence upon prayer. She was a woman of great power in this, and counted the prayer meeting service a lost opportunity when she failed to take part in it.

Following the service the body was taken to Garrattsville for interment in the family plot. Dr. Smiley accompanied the family to Garrattsville and read the committal service at the grave. The bearers were Rev. R. H. Hume, D. D., of Springfield, Ohio; Rev. R. H. Rockwell of Akron, Ohio; John S. Rockwell of Garrattsville, and Robert Hall of Oneonta—a brother, two sons and a son-in-law of the deceased. Besides relatives from Garrattsville, Dr. Hume and Rev. Mr. Rockwell above named, and A. G. Patterson esq. and children of Walton were present at the service.


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H. Elmer Gilchrist of New York city, who had been in Oneonta for several days, returned yesterday to New York city. During his stay in the city Mr. Gilchrist exhibited at the sample room at the Windsor hotel, where with Mrs. Gilchrist he stopped, the recently devised and perfected new portable moving picture machine which does away with the fireproof booth and licensed operator; and also the non-inflammable film, which gives a fine picture with no flicker. Mr. Gilchrist displayed a very pretty film of The Merchant of Venice, which was praised by all who saw it, as well as other pleasing films. He demonstrated by tests before the spectators that the film is not easily ignited and that the machine and film, which can be easily used in churches, clubs and private residences, have been perfected.

Mr. Gilchrist, who is the president of the Gilchrist Service, Inc., and in which several former Oneonta boys are stockholders and which in fact is controlled by them, was given considerable encouragement by friends in this city, and several orders for stock in the company were taken before his departure. The prospects of the company are bright in the opinion of not only Mr. Gilchrist, but of others who looked into the portable machine and the improved film.

### Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Howland, 29 Burnside avenue, Saturday, July 27, an 8½ pound son, Charles Lawrence jr.

Born, Thursday, July 25, to Mr. and Mrs. C. C Westover, formerly of Oneonta, but more recently of Schenectady, an 11 pound daughter, Pearl Frances Westover.

Born, July 27, at Wanna sanitarium, to Mr. and Mrs. William Champlain, a 7½ pound son, Julian Wilbur Champlain.

### Leaves for Military Service.

Herbert Spencer, a son of Mrs. Leta H. Spencer of 24 Broad street, has enlisted in the military service as truck driver and will leave Friday for Fort Slocum. Mr. Spencer enlisted in June last, but was rejected for physical disability. Determined to enlist, he again made application and passing the required examination, will enter the military service of the United States.

### Rebekahs to Picnic.

Members of the Rebekah lodge and their families are urged to attend the picnic at Ne-ah-wa park Thursday afternoon, August 1. Please bring usual dishes and refreshments. The picnic will not be postponed unless the weather be very unfavorable.


Kitchen man wanted at once at Pioneer Lunch. advt 2t


### Doing a Public Service.

The librarian and trustees of the Oneonta Public library are naturally much gratified, not only at the increasing number of patrons, but by the fact that numerous visits or inquiries by letter have been received relative to various phases of library management. These inquiries, which have all been promptly answered, indicate the growing regard in which the library is held, not only locally, but throughout this portion of the state.

It was also learned that among the patrons of the library are many guests of the hotels, who have doubtless noted the cards which have been posted in hostelries and have taken advantage of the opportunities afforded for an hour or two of quiet reading.

### Arrives Overseas.

Mrs. Ralph H. Gabriel has received a cablegram announcing the safe arrival of her husband, Lieutenant Gabriel, on the other side. Lieutenant Gabriel sailed with the 76th division from Camp Devenas a short time ago. His wife is at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Davis, 48 Cedar street.


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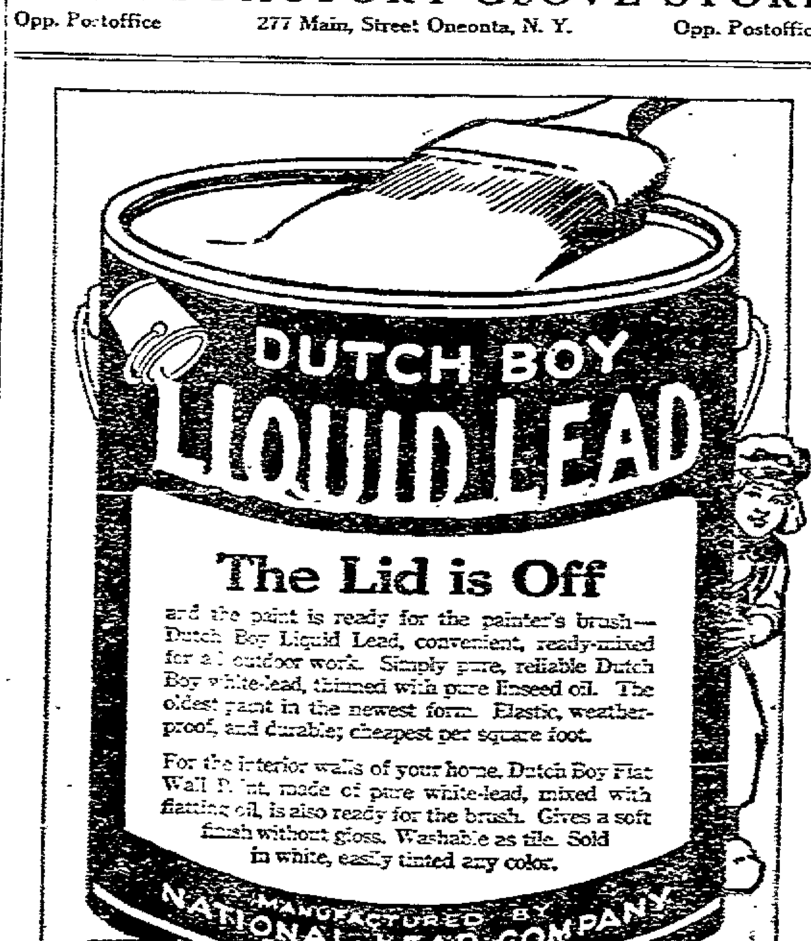


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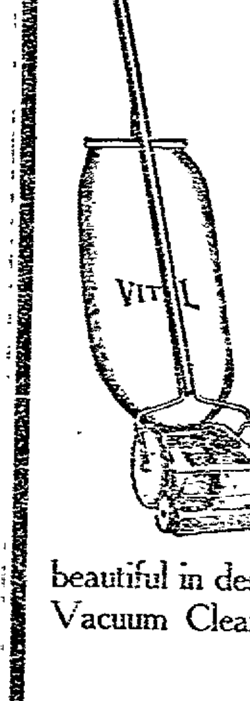


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FOR SALE—Forty acre valley farm. Four miles from Oneonta. Comfortable buildings, running water at house and barn, On R. D. and telephone line. Will keep eight cows and team; some timber. Address Farm, care Star.

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FOR SALE—House at 82 Dietz street. All improvements. Inquire on premises. R. O. Marshall.

FOR SALE—Two pianos at a bargain; also Shetland pony and wagon. Mrs. Menzo Butts, 6 Lewis avenue.

FRED GARDNER—Of Maryland will have a pair of horses six and eight years old, respectively, weighing 3,000 pounds, for sale at Anderson's auction, 336½ Main street, Oneonta, N. Y., Friday, July 26.

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FOR SALE—Heavy, duck canvas. Nearly new. Ten by twelve feet, brass eyelets. W. H. Cook, 6 High street.

FOR SALE—House and barn at Meridale. Inquire on premises. Mrs. R. E. Georgia.

FOR SALE—Or will trade seven passenger car for five passenger. What have you to offer? Address 79, care Star.

FOR SALE—Small place on state road near Oneonta, eight acres, dandy land, fine buildings, including four henhouses and barn, at a bargain. Will trade for Oneonta property. Nearly new house near Spruce street. Hot water heat, all improvements, fine garden. $2,800. Fine place on Church street, in fine repair, improvements, may be used for two families. $5,000. Twelve room house in fine repair near Normal, fine for roomers or two families, all improvements, barn and garden, at a bargain. Several places on easy terms and fifty fine building lots. Fred N. Van Wie.

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TAXI SERVICE—After 4 p. m. Phone 257-W. W. H. Cook.

FARMERS, ATTENTION—Wanted, standing timber, in small or large lots for cash. Send full description. S. A. Holloway & Co., Newark, N. J.

WANTED—Second hand farm machinery of all kinds. State manufacture, size, condition and price. Address Oneonta Star, B. M. & Co.

WANTED—Spoiled butter, lard, oleo, compounds, house and hotel grease. F. A. Murdock's rendering plant, East End.

POULTRY WANTED—Highest prices paid for fowls and spring chickens. I pay express charges. A. Eigen, Sharon Springs.

SAFE WANTED—Secondhand, must be large size and good condition. If haven't a bargain do not write us. M. L. Siver & Co., Sidney, N. Y.

### SUMMER CAMPS TO RENT.

HAPPYLAND CAMP—On west side of Schuyler lake. Cool location among the pines. Boat and garage. Wm. B. Mason, Star office.

ARNOLD'S LAKE camp house for rent or sale. Inquire at Scatchard's, 6 Myrtle avenue or at Scatchard's camp, Arnold's lake.

PINE CREST COTTAGE—Goodyear lake, Cliffside. Seven rooms, sleeping porch, fire place, every convenience. Will sell. Inquire of Miss Crowl, care of Mrs. Salisbury, Portlandville, N. Y., or on premises.

CAMP WYNOLA—At Goodyear lake. Inquire Mrs. M. F. Butterfield, 211 Main street. Phone 600-R.

### HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—Small house or a desirable flat in residential section. Charles E. Westervelt, Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—To rent in or just out of town, a house with garden. Two in family. Address D, care Star.

### ROOMERS WANTED.

ROOMERS WANTED—At 231 Chestnut street. All improvements.

ROOMERS WANTED—9 Lawn avenue. Gentlemen preferred.

ROOMERS WANTED—At 79 Main street.

### STORAGE.

STORAGE TO RENT—Decker Furniture company, corner Elm and Main. Phone 162.

CLEAN, DRY STORAGE TO RENT—A. H. Murdock, Market street.

### BOARDERS WANTED.

WANTED—Boarders at 6 Ne-ah-wa place.

**Experienced Glove Operators**

In all Departments, also Learners

**WANTED**

All over the country, loyal, patriotic women are entering the factories and adding their usefulness to the "Help win the war campaign."

The largest glove manufacturers in this country offer a splendid opportunity for competent young women to secure staple employment. Excellent working conditions and liberal salary while learning. Write or apply.

**Julius Kayser & Co.**

Oneonta Sidney Bainbridge

## ONE CENT A WORD

### HELP WANTED.

YOUNG MAN—Or lady wanted for office and laboratory work. Apply Bauer Chemical company, East End.

WANTED—A man or woman to work in kitchen. Highest wages paid. Apply Grant house, Stamford.

WANTED—School teacher, District 16, Davenport, N. Y. George Currie.

WANTED—Saleswomen for the Thrift Sale at F. W. Woolworth company, Wednesday, July 31st.

WANTED—Strong young man, 16 years of age. Apply at Grove street greenhouses.

WANTED—A capable man to take charge of cutting cord-wood, about ten miles from Oneonta, also choppers. Raymond M. Booth, 311 Arkay building, Albany, N. Y.

WANTED—Dishwashers, also kitchen man. Highest wages paid. Apply New Grant house, Stamford.

WANTED—Office assistant, typist; knowledge of shorthand desirable. Address Office, care Star.

WANTED—Bell boy at the Windsor hotel.

MADAM—Make America fruitful and beautiful. Solicit orders for Perry dependable trees and plants. Large commissions, payable weekly. Investigate. Address Perry Nurseries, Rochester.

WANTED—Experienced clothing salesman, good salary to right party. Call at Rochester Clothing company.

WANTED—Bell boy at the Windsor hotel.

WANTED—Men to unload lumber. Good wages. Apply to F. J. McGuinness, division storekeeper, D. & H. shops.

WANTED—Men and boys over 16 years for haying, harvesting and general farm work. Apply to P. R. Bennett, Farm Labor Bureau of N. Y. State Food Commission, Chamber of Commerce rooms, Oneonta, N. Y.

WANTED—Weavers; also, learners. The Paragon Silk Company.

### WORK WANTED.

WANTED—By lady, work by the day or hour. Inquire Baker block, 115 Main street.

WORK WANTED—Lady would like work as housekeeper for small family. Inquire 85 River street, between 7 and 8 p. m.

WANTED—By woman, house or day work. 85½ Main street.

WANTED—Painting and paperhanging. A. W. Loudon. Phone 128-W2.

WANTED—Plain sewing at 20 Dietz street. Basement.

MOVING—By auto truck, long or short hauls. Phone Johnson, 776-W, 18 Academy street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—At 92 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-W2.

WANTED—Pictures to frame. Ward's Art Shop, 149 Main street.

## MANY USES FOR SANDBAG

### Soldiers Employ It in a Number of Ways Besides What It Is Officially Intended For.

The sandbag is one of the most useful pieces of military equipment found anywhere and the soldier puts it to manifold uses. Their official use, of course, is to be filled with sand or clay and built into ramparts, barricades and trenches. Their unofficial uses are legion.

The infantryman always uses a sandbag for carrying and storing his rations, for patching and re-enforcing his clothing, for lining and curtaining his dugout, for muffling mallets and stakes when putting up wire in No Man's Land. They make excellent gaiters, being tied on over the puttees as a further protection against mud and damp. They make cozy mufflers in bad weather. They are used to cover shrapnel helmets to prevent reflection, and they are frequently in demand for rifle covers.

Many soldiers always pull two sandbags over their feet and legs when going to bed in billets; in other words, the sandbag is Tommy's pajamas. The warmth and comfort of a burlap sandbag when pulled over chilled feet is astonishing.

The postman's mailbag at the front is nothing more than an empty sandbag, and the water carriers also use two sandbags, slung back and front over the shoulder, each containing a petrol tin full of water.

"The war will be over," a soldier wit once said, "when all of Belgium and France has been put into sandbags."

## NEW EXCUSE FOR SPEEDING

### Novelty of Plea Secures for Atlanta Young Man Cut Price Fine.

Atlanta, Ga.—Young Clifford Ogden was before a police judge to answer for fast driving in an automobile and around the wrong side of a trolley car.

"I had as a passenger a man trying to catch up with a street car in which was his wife, from whom he is trying to get a divorce. He was seeking evidence and told me he just had to catch that trolley car."

The novel excuse caused the recorder to give young Ogden a cut price of only $12 and costs.

**10,000 Testimonials from Mothers**

Of children who have successfully used Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They move and regulate the bowels, relieve Feverishness, Teething disorders, constipation, headaches, destroy worms and frequently break up colds. Children like them. For 30 years Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children have been the safe and reliable remedy in time of need. Mothers should never be without a box in the house for immediate use. At druggists everywhere, 25c.

## WAR GARDENERS RESPOND TO CALL

### Will "Keep the Food Coming" as General Pershing Has Asked.

## BIG INCREASE THIS YEAR

### Central West and Pacific Coast Especially Are Doing Well—National Commission Offers Prizes for Best Home-Grown Canned Vegetables.

Washington.—The war gardeners of the United States answered Pershing's call to "Keep the Food Coming." There are, according to figures being tabulated by the national war garden commission, 4,900,000 war gardens in the United States. These figures are incomplete and the estimates were made on reports received up to June 15. This number indicates an increase of 40 per cent over last year when there were 3,500,000 garden munition plants at work. Figuring in the increased cost this year over last, further estimates will be made by the commission both on the number of gardens and the estimated crop value.

"Taking these early figures into consideration," said Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the commission, in making public the preliminary survey, "together with the increased canning demonstration work being done by the United States department of agriculture in cities and towns, we feel safe in saying the forecast of 1,500,000,000 quarts in tin and glass of canned stuff, made by the department, will be reached."

**Big Prizes Are Offered.**

The report points to the early planting season this year, which was made possible by weather generally favorable throughout the country. To encourage saving the garden crop the national war garden commission, which planted a 400-acre demonstration war garden at Camp Dix, N. J., is offering $10,000 in prizes for the best canned vegetables grown in war gardens, with the slogan "Back up the cannon by use of the canner."

In nearly every section of the country there has been an appreciable and encouraging increase in the number of war gardens this year, the commission announced. This has ranged anywhere from 10 to 60 per cent. In the Eastern portions there was a failure to note a gain on the early returns.

"The greatest percentage of increase," the commission's statement adds, "was made in the Central Western states and Pacific coast, taking any one section of the country as a whole. There an awakening has taken place which revealed itself in an enthusiastic, widespread drive to help home food production. Of the total number of war gardens in the United States, the preliminary reports show that more than 2,000,000 of them—2,276,000, to be exact—were in the Central Western territory. There was a gain of fully 50 per cent over the war garden activity of last year.

**Eastern States Lagging.**

"The Eastern states, including New England, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, on the whole showed little increase over last year. In certain parts of all this territory there has been a better showing, and particularly has there been a greater activity among manufacturing concerns in providing land for their employees; but these gains have been counteracted to a certain extent by less activity in other places; so that the amount of food home-grown along the upper Atlantic coast this year will be slightly if any greater than last year. Better cultivation in hundreds of cases may make up for what is lacking in numbers. In New York the park department alone reports 2,000 war gardens 26 by 40. The total number of war gardens in this territory, as shown by the reports, is 848,000, of which 737,000 are in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware.

"The South has made an excellent record, certain states in particular having made notable gains. Including Texas and Oklahoma, there are a total of 1,246,000 war gardens in the Southern states this year, one-fourth of the number in the entire United States. California, Washington and Oregon show a total of 463,000 war gardens. That the war gardeners intend to save a great part of the garden crop is shown in the 200 entries received up to July 1 for the canning contests that garden clubs are organizing all over the country."

**Recognized Only One.**

The conversation in the lobby of a Washington hotel turned to the subject of signs when the following story was contributed by Representative Edward H. Watson of New Hampshire:

An esteemed party named Pat established a livery stable in a rural New England town, and wishing an appropriate sign, he had one painted that pictured a man riding a mule. Just after the sign was put up Pat's friend, Mike, rambled along.

"Oi see," pleasantly remarked Mike, gazing at the new creation, "thot yez have put up a foine soign."

"Yes," responded Pat, with some show of pride. "Phat do yez think av it?"

"Shure, an' Oi loike it," replied Mike, with an expansive smile, "but who is the man that's on yez back?"—Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

**Cows Ignore Daylight Plan.**

Hinsdale, N. H.—Farmers here say their cows refuse to adjust themselves to the daylight saving plan. They were in the habit of coming to the bar at a certain time to be milked. Now the grangers have to tramp through the dew, perchance to the end of the pastures, and wake the bossies up.

**Profits and Prices**

Profits may be considered from two angles:

*1st*—Their effect on prices;
*2nd*—As a return to investors.

When profits are small as compared with sales, they have little effect on prices.

Swift & Company's profits are only a fraction of a cent per pound on all products sold, and if eliminated entirely would have practically no effect on prices.

Swift & Company paid 10 per cent dividends to over 20,000 stockholders out of its 1917 profits. It also had to build extensions and improvements out of profits; to finance large stocks of goods made necessary by unprecedented requirements of the United States and Allied Governments; and to provide protection against the day of declining markets.

**Is it fair to call this profiteering?**

**Swift & Company, U. S. A.**

Local Branch, 54 Broad St., Oneonta, N. Y.

## "DON'T IT JEST BEAT ALL!"

### Colonel's Orderly Has an Altogether Unflattering Opinion of French Intelligence

Red, the colonel's orderly, stood in the doorway picking his teeth. Red is six feet two inches tall, and disproportionately narrow. He is a member of a regiment recruited in the Middle West, but he hails from the Panhandle of Texas, and betrays the fact every time he opens his mouth. At the moment of our approach he was addressing an unseen and presumably a sympathetic listener beyond the threshold:

"Me, I'm plum' outdone with these here French people," I heard him drawl. "Here we've been camped amongst 'em fer goin' on four months and they ain't learnt English yet. You'd think they'd want to know how to talk to people in a reg'lar honest-to-God language—but no, seein' seemin'ly not a-tall. I'd be ashamed to be so ignorant and show it. Course oncet in a while you do run acrost one of 'em that's picked up a word here and there; but that's about all.

"Now f'rinstance you take that nice-lookin' little woman with the black eyes and the shiny teeth that runs that there little store in this here last town we stayed a spell in before we come on up here. I never could remember the name of that there town—it was so outlandish soundin'—but you remember the woman, don't you? Well, there's a case in p'int. She was bright enough lookin', but she was like all the rest—it seemed like she jest couldn't pick up enough reg'lar words to help her git around. Ef I went in her place and asked her fer sardines she'd know what I meant right off and hand 'em over, but ef I wanted some cheese she didn't have no idea what I was talkin' about. Don't it jest beat all?"—Irvin S. Cobb in the Saturday Evening Post.

**Face Task With Confidence.**

Take it for granted that whatever work is given you to do, you can do. Nothing undermines efficiency like the feeling of apprehension regarding your task. Whether you are a business worker, or a student, or find your occupation about the house, train yourself to think of it always with cheerfulness and confidence.—Girl's Companion.

**Maltese.**

Maltese is a most peculiar language. It is of Oriental design. Arabic in its chief characteristics, but sprinkled all through with Italian incorporations. It has no grammar, is phonetic and idiomatic.

## WOMAN RUNS A BIG CRANE

### Foreman of Philadelphia Plant Says She Is Better Than 60 Per Cent of Men.

Philadelphia.—Miss Catherine Hahn, who operates a five-ton crane at the Tacoma ordnance plant, is said to be the only woman in the country operating a crane of that size. Her foreman declares that she manipulates the crane better than 60 per cent of the men he has seen employed at the same work.

Miss Hahn is five feet six inches tall, weighs 138 pounds and is twenty-five years old. She is robust looking but not extraordinary in point of muscular development.

"I just made up my mind when I came over here to help make guns," she said, "that I was going to do whatever I was told. I had been afraid to climb ladders and I never was a tomboy in my life, but I was determined I wouldn't let anybody scare me; and they haven't. I'm not as tired when I go home at night as I used to be after running a sewing machine."

**TWICE PROVEN**

If you suffer backache, sleepless nights, tired, dull days and distressing urinary disorders, don't experiment. Read this twice-told testimony. It's Oneonta evidence—doubly proven.

G. Burrhus, railroad switchman, 45 South Main street says: "My back was weak and pained me a great deal when I stooped over or straightened. I was nervous, had headaches and dizzy spells and didn't seem able to control the kidney secretions. I had to get up several times at night and I lost much weight. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Marsh's drug store and before long the pains and other ailments disappeared."

Over five years later, Mr. Burrhus said: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills made for me has been permanent."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Burrhus had. Foster-Milburn Co., manufacturers, Buffalo, N. Y.

TIME TABLE OF

**ULSTER & DELAWARE RR**

IN EFFECT JUNE 30, 1918.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows: 7:20 a. m., 10:15 a. m., 1 p. m. and 3:15 p. m. on week days; Sundays at 1:00 p. m. and 4:05 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: 11:25 a. m. and 6:08, 7:15 and 8 p. m. on week days; Sundays at 11:25 a. m. and 6:08 p. m.

**Delaware & Hudson R. R.**

"The D&H"

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday Jan. 27, 1918.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows:

NORTH BOUND.

| | | Arrive | Depart |
|---|---|---|---|
| 303 | Albany Local ...... | | 6:30 a m |
| 305 | Morning Express .. | 9:40 a m | 9:50 a m |
| 309 | Boat Express ...... | 3:45 p m | 3:55 p m |
| 311 | Oneonta Local .... | 8:25 p m | |
| 313 | Sundays only ...... | 4:15 p m | 4:20 p m |

SOUTH BOUND.

| | | Arrive | Depart |
|---|---|---|---|
| 300 | Oneonta Local .... | | 8:20 a m |
| 302 | Morning Express .. | 10:25 a m | 10:35 a m |
| 304 | Albany Local .... | 3:45 p m | |
| 306 | Chicago Express .. | 6:35 p m | 6:50 p m |
| 314 | Sundays only .... | 5:45 p m | 6:00 p m |

Trains 313 and 314 only run Sundays.

Trains leave for Cooperstown and intermediate points week days and Sundays at 10:50 a. m. and 6:15 p. m. Trains from Cooperstown and intermediate points arrive Oneonta week days and Sundays at 10:05 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

**Southern New York Railway**

Schedule Effective May 15, 1918.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points daily as follows: 6:40 a. m., 8:50 a. m. and 11:10 a. m., 1:05 p. m., 2:10 p. m., 4:10 p. m. and 6:40 p. m. An additional train leaves Oneonta for Hartwick at 9:20 p. m. The 6:40 a. m. train is daily except Sunday. Trains will arrive at Oneonta from Hartwick 6:30 a. m. and 8:20 a. m. From Herkimer at 10:03 a. m., 11:20 a. m., 1:41 p. m., 3:50 p. m., 5:50 and 9:10 p. m.

In additional to regular through trains local cars leave Chestnut street station for West Oneonta at 6:20, 7:1-, and 10:00 a. m. and at 1:40, 4:46, 5:10, 6:10, 9:10, 9:50 and 10:40 p. m.

**City Service.**

Leave Broad street at 6:17 a. m. and East End (Week Days) at 6:30 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until 9:00 a. m.; then 9:21, 9:50, 10:20, 11:00, 11:29 a. m., 12:10 a. m., 12:15, 12:45, 1:05, and 1:20 p. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 11:00 p. m. The 11:00 p. m. car runs only to Broad street.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 8:40 a. m.; then 9:01, 9:31, 10:00, 10:30, 11:10, 11:40, 11:55 a. m., 12:25, 12:40, 1:05, 1:31, 2:10 and every half hour thereafter until 11:30 p. m. The last car running to Broad street only.

**Normal Service.**

Leave Broad street, 6:22 a. m. and D. & H. Station at 6:50 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:20 a. m., then 9:47, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20, 11:58 a. m., 12:04, and 1:20 p. m. and every half hour until 9:20 p. m.

Leave Normal at 6:33 and 7:04 a. m. and every half-hour thereafter until 9:04 a. m., then 9:33, 10:02, 10:34, 11:04, 11:34 a. m. and 12:12, 12:49, 1:34 and every half-hour thereafter until 9:34 p. m.

**Sundays.**

First car leaves East End at 7:20 a. m. Normal school at 7:34 a. m. Broad street for West Oneonta at 7:12.

J. W. NUGENT,
General Passenger Agent.

**If You Have Anything to Sell Try a Want Ad.**

58-acre farm located on the state road, on the Borden milk route, one mile from stores and church. Good productive loam soil with no large stone. Good house with running water. Large cement basement barn, tie up for 12 head of stock. Three hen houses, hog pen, running water at barn. The buildings are painted. About 8 acres woodland. There goes with this farm six fine cows, two horses, one two-year-old colt, one sow, one shoat, about 250 fowls, mowing machine, horse rake, plows, barrow, cultivator, wagons, harness, and and all small tools, other machinery and dairy utensils. Price for everything, $3,500.00, cash payment $1,200.00.

126 acre farm on state road, ½ mile from High school, stores, churches, etc. 100 acres in fields, land lays level and easy to till, lots of fruit. The buildings consist of a fine 2-story house, which would cost to build, $7,500.00, in first-class condition, cow barn 40x60, tie up for 20 head of stock, new shingle roof, cement basement, running water, wagon house and hay barn 30x64, hog house 20x24, all in fine condition. Silo 16x32. The following personal property goes with the farm: 2 horses, 12 fine grade Holstein cows, 2 yearlings, 7 calves, 1 thoroughbred Holstein bull, 75 hens, 2 pigs, 6 turkeys, mowing machine, horse rake, drill, plows, harrows, cultivator, wagons, harness and other tools too numerous to mention. Price for all $7,500.00, cash payment, $2,500.00.

Farm, 157 acres, 2½ miles from creamery and railroad station; 20 acres timber; good pasture for 40 head of stock, spring and brook water in pasture; farm will cut from 70 to 100 tons hay; splendid house in fine repair; also good tenement house; cow barn with basement 40x40; tie-up for 37 head of stock; two extra hay barns; ice house, hen house, wagon house, granary and hog house; orchard of about 1000 trees, apple, plum, cherry and pear; 31 head of stock, 2 horses, 2 pigs and about 80 fowls; a complete set of farm tools. Price for everything $8,000.00; cash payment $2,000.00 or will take Oneonta realty as part payment. This farm is a money maker. Reason for selling, old age.

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## For Summer Sports— the Proper Shoes

The day has passed when any shoe will do for a specific popular out-door sport. Every sport has its special shoe, built scientifically for the comfort of the wearer and to improve the wearer's technique.

Such shoes have never been worn to a greater extent, and have exerted a strong influence upon all summer footwear.

Our display of Sport Footwear includes Golf, Tennis, Tramping, Motoring, Baseball and Outing types.


## WEDDING IS STRICTLY "13"

**Fateful Number Figures Prominently in Affairs of Kansas City Couple.**

Kansas City, Mo.—It was 12 months ago that William A. Gibson met pretty Anna B. Brown of this city.

"This is our luck day," he declared, as he looked at the date—the 13th. She agreed.

"Let's get married on the 13th," he said a few months later. She also agreed to this.

So on the 13th of the month they secured a marriage license. Then a happy thought struck them.

"Let's make it 13 all around," she said.

They were then married on the 13th floor of the Commerce building, in room 913, by Justice E. A. Seltzer.

**Making an Old Thing Useful.**

My oven had a tendency to burn on the bottom until a friend told me to cut a piece of old wire screen just the size of my oven, and always keep it in place. Since then I have had no further trouble. The cost was nil, as I cut the screen from a discarded door. —Cartoons Magazine.

**Wanted at Once.**

Intelligent and fairly rapid typist, capable of taking Associated Press news over the telephone. Night work. Good wages to competent person. Apply to or address, H. W. Lee, care Daily Star, Oneonta, N. Y. advt tf

Wanted at once—A dining room girl to work nights. Twentieth Century lunch. advt tf


## OLD AGE A CRIME

Some people are young at 60—red cheeked, ruddy and vigorous. Others are old at 40—joints beginning to stiffen up a bit; step beginning to lag and lose its springiness; occasional touches of pain in the back, feel tired without cause, and possibly a twinge of rheumatic pain.

In most cases these are the danger signals to warn you that the kidneys are not promptly doing their work of throwing off the poisons that are always forming in the body. To neglect these natural warnings is a crime against yourself. If you have these symptoms you can find prompt relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. For more than 200 years this has been the recognized remedy for kidney and bladder ailments.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories at Haarlem, Holland. Get them at your druggists. Do not take a substitute. In boxes, three sizes.


## POPULAR MEETING PLACE

The canvas waterbags for cooling water are the most popular meeting places for soldiers in the many cantonments in America these hot days. Though the bag is only imperfectly shielded from the sun by its scant covering, the water is kept surprisingly cool.

**How Toasts Originated.**

The custom of drinking the health of the most popular man at the table has its foundation in the ancient practice originated by the Greeks and adopted by the Romans of drinking to the gods and the dead, observes an exchange.

The Greeks and Romans later began the practice of drinking to each other, and from this arose the custom of toasting living men. But health drinking in its modern form, originating in England in the roystering days of Charles II, begins with the custom of drinking to the ladies or to any woman who happened to be the reigning belle of the court.

Many and various were the quaint customs associated with the toasts of those days. For example, in certain companies of military officers etiquette demanded that the cup should be passed from hand to hand.

In many midnight gatherings of Alsatia gallants stabbed themselves in order to drink with their blood the health of the woman on whom their hearts were set.—Kansas City Journal.

## ATE SIXTEEN PIECES OF PIE

**Chamberlain Also Consumed a Lot of Other Things—Waiters Work in Relays.**

South Bridge, Mass.—A check for $2.75 doesn't mean much in a "Cafe de Luxe," but in Wesson's lunch it represents many mouthfuls. That was the size of the check rendered Theodore Chamberlain when he "blew in" there recently, after working without cessation for two days.

Teddy said he was hungry. Head Waiter Moses Monette couldn't maintain the necessary speed, so some of his waiters helped out in maintaining the guest's commissary department.

Chamberlain weighs only 123 pounds, but no German ever taken prisoner displayed such munching propensities. Here is what Chamberlain put away in exchange for his $2.75:

Two dropped eggs on toast, several griddle cakes, four muffins, two large cups of coffee, one glass of milk; three sections of strawberry shortcake followed, and then he asked for a piece of custard pie. He asked for another and another. When he finished he had eaten 16 pieces of pie. Chamberlain topped his lunch with a draught of ice water and said: "Well, I ain't as hungry as I was."

**When to Shut Your Eyes.**

In an article about Thomas Edison in the American Magazine, William Maxwell, the vice president of the Edison company, said:

"One bit of executive strategy that I learned from Edison has stood me in good stead a dozen times. He had the wise habit of knowing when to shut his eyes. There are times in every organization when controversies arise between even the most loyal and best intentioned subordinates. Sometimes it is the wisest thing for the man at the top to know nothing whatever about them, to let them work themselves out. 'I learned a great many years ago,' said Lincoln, 'that in a fight between man and wife, a third party should never get between the woman's skillet and the man's axhelve.'"

**Fine Japanese Paper.**

Japanese native-made paper is not surpassed anywhere in the world. It is used for the finest books. The paper cloth of Atami, from which durable clothing is made, indicates not only the strength, but the variety of uses to which the native paper of Japan can be put. None of the Atami paper cloth is sent out of the country, owing to the large home consumption.

**Garage Business in Worcester for Sale.**

As I expect soon to enter the service, I am offering for sale my automobile and garage business. This is an excellent location and a good business, but the above conditions warrant this step. Will make an attractive proposition to the right party. Terms strictly cash. Central Hotel garage, Herman C. Wright Prop., Worcester, N. Y. advt tf.

Baker's Extracts — Housewives should insist on having them: they are perfectly pure and of great strength. advt tf

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta August 1; Eagle, Norwich, August 3. advt tf

The mill at West Davenport will be closed afternoons during the balance of July. W. A. Barlow. advt 3t

Tea with a reputation among the consumers of good tea—Biwa. advt tf

## CZECHS IN ITALY MUST WIN OR DIE

**Fighting Against Austria, Their Capture Means Nothing but Execution.**

## WON'T LEAVE THEIR DEAD

**All Fallen Comrades Carried From the Field—These Valorous Warriors Select Their Own Officers and Eliminate Weak and Unfit.**

(Special Correspondence of Italian American News Bureau.)

Italian Front.—The Slav soldiers in the Italian army elect their own superiors by the most rigid tests, and thus they are representative of the manhood of their nationalities. The Italian soldiery and people have taken kindly to them.

The first of the proofs of valor they gave are admirable, although limited to modest operations in exploring and raiding. Whether by themselves or with Italian troops, these Czech-Slovaks, arriving from beyond the ocean, have kept up the fire of patriotism and the ardor to fight, and have fought well.

The repatriates of the Czecho-Slovak army have been saluted already with brotherly love by the population in the zone of war, especially by the ancient inhabitants of the Veneto, who have the most recent and liveliest recollection of oppression and the convulsive struggle for redemption.

The women of Verona offered them a battle flag in the Bohemian colors, surmounted by a lion. The soldiers recognized the sanctity of the gift and swore an oath that they would die for that emblem of liberty. The expression was not rhetorical and the oath superfluous.

**Are Killed if Captured.**

The fate that awaits these new warriors for the ideals of a far-off and oppressed country is shown by the inflexible military rules of the Austrian empire. They are all subjects of the Emperor Carl and as such death is the only thing in store for them if captured.

Their word is for that reason sacred. Neither alive nor dead must they fall into the hands of the enemy. Even the dead must be snatched from the oppressor. Each one has sworn to carry off to the Italian lines the body of a compatriot killed in action.

Recently, during a reconnaissance, a Bohemian fell close to the enemy lines. Braving a hot fire, the explorers hurried to carry him off, fearing that in a night sortie the Austrians might get the body.

These "soldiers of death" know that if an operation fails of success they must kill themselves. To the ignominious death inflicted by the enemy they prefer suicide. Whether through death by the enemy or through their own hands, they have consecrated their lives to the distant fatherland, from which they have come to fight in the greatest cradle of all liberty and all ideals—Italy.

**Eliminate Weak and Unfit.**

Rome, the ancient lighthouse of civility and of liberty, has substituted these new companions in arms for those of Russia. These warriors for the freedom of their country have found in the ranks of our own combatants fraternity and sturdy faith. This fraternity, more than common ideals for the redemption of their respective countries, is cemented by the knowledge and vision of the real difficulties and the resolution and firmness of purpose of the new combatants. From their own ranks on a spontaneous vote they have eliminated all about whose military vigor or enthusiasm there could be any doubt, so that the recruits represent the flower of the soldiery of the oppressed nationalities. Drawn from the same country, speaking the same tongue, in the daily intimacy of their new military life, they have subjected each other to voluntary but inflexible tests. The results are confided only to their officers.

"Hitts does not please me. He would not make a good corporal. We do not want him," they say. Thus, out of the ancient military system of Austria springs elements of criticism which exclude the weak and unfit. The officers must heed these verdicts, which, like all collective judgments, arise from a full consensus of the judges.

**Elect Own Officers.**

The examination of the political opinion is not less exacting for being carried out by fellow soldiers. A Czech recruit who spoke his mother tongue well was challenged by his compatriots. "He speaks our language well, but his heart is not Czech," they said. It was learned that during protracted business transactions in Vienna he had lost the fierceness and the intrepidity of the Bohemian character through daily contact with the Austrian authorities.

This control has been fraught with excellent results. Those who have survived the tests of the assembled judges have furnished the best war material and proved themselves dependable in military and moral affairs.

The officers are also elected by the soldiers, who trust their leaders with blind faith, and give them the most rigid obedience and discipline. Such discipline the new soldiers of liberty are taught, by their remembrance of imperial oppression, to hold essential to the triumph of their cause.

**Actions That Count.**

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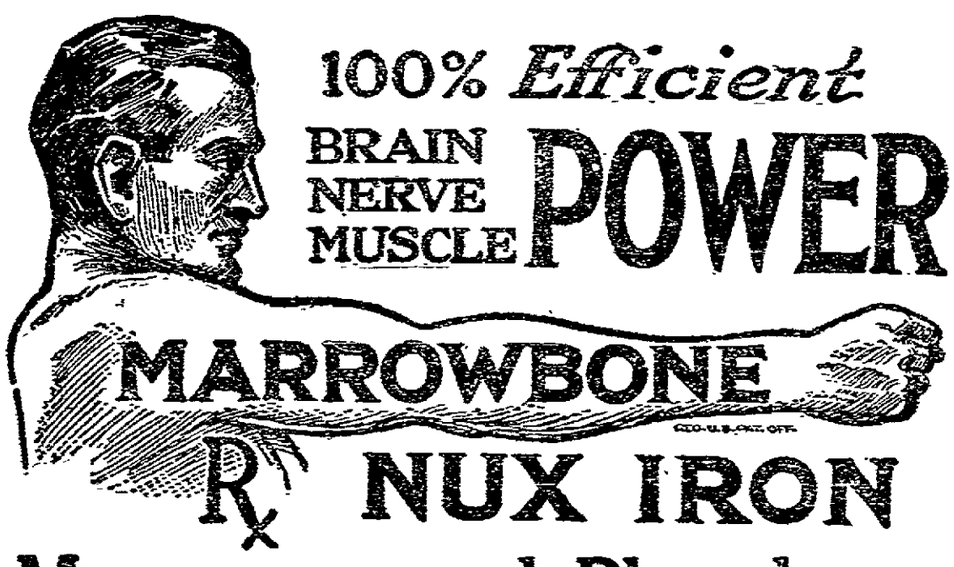


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